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HAWAIIAN HOLIDAYS

MISS SISSON DESCRIBES CHRISTMAS DAY AT HONOLULU.

TELLS OF A CLOUD BURST

Recounts Experiences While Out in Worst Storm of Years — Attends A Tea Party.

(Miss Donna Sisson)

It's the rainiest, darkest day you ever saw; it looks and sounds like a November downpour in the States, but the windows are all open and the flowers a-blooming outside.

I think I shall begin a week before Christmas with Founders' Day. The school had been practicing for weeks for this. At 10 o'clock Tuesday morning we, all three schools, embarked on special cars and headed for the Royal Mausoleum, the Royal Hawaiian band in a car ahead tooting away.

At the Cemetery.

Once at the cemetery, the children formed in line and marched in to the strains of some Hawaiian air. They grouped themselves around the royal tomb, sang some lovely native songs in a most affecting way. The Hawaiians are very impressionable, emotional; if their interest is at all aroused they feel a thing deeply, but it doesn't last long. But this really was a beautiful service—the music is so hauntingly mournful.

The rest of the week was more or less confused, getting ready for the holidays. We had the tree Saturday night — a real fir tree all strung with lights and tinsel. The girls grouped themselves on the broad stairs back of the tree and sang lovely carols and Christmas songs. Then the presents were distributed, and they went to the gym., where dancing held sway until 10:30 o'clock, a most unholy hour here.

The Afternoon Entertainment.

On Sunday we had our real dinner. That afternoon we went into a vesper service where a Christmas cantata was given most delightfully. In the evening Honolulu had its first municipal Christmas tree. Such a home-sick, forlorn little tree it was, all decked in bells and lights and floating streamers. The Kamehameha boys sang the carols and everyone seemed to enjoy it very much. It was certainly a cosmopolitan crowd that listened; naval officers in crisp white; Jap. women in bright kimonos, children in still brighter ones strapped to their backs; beautifully gowned women and girls in white dresses and gay sport coats; Khaki uniforms; "jackies" in white and blue; Chinese women, trousered, sleek-haired, slant-eyed; ragged little street gamins; tourists with kodaks and fur-trimmed coats; imposing looking officials in white ducks; natives in holokers and leis; a big crowd, but quiet and orderly and certainly varied enough. We wanted to stay in for the midnight mass, but no cars run out our way so late and taxis are too expensive.

Christmas Morning.

On Christmas morning we were awakened early by the sound of ukeleles and voices singing, the manual boys were serenading. After they had been suitably rewarded there was breakfast, with joke-gifts from the various teachers. The girls, such as had families or relatives in town, went out as soon as their work was done; so now only about half the school is here. The teachers are taking turn about running things. My turn comes New Years day, and then vacation ends. We could use two weeks more very nicely. The weather Christmas day and the day after was marvelous, clear, fresh after heavy rains.

I went to church Christmas morning,it looked so pretty, huge poinsettias crimson against the creamy stone interior, blue sky and waving branches looking in at the open window; and went immediately from there to the beach. We had a wonderful lunch, cold turkey, lettuce sandwiches, hot tea, the most delectable fruit salad, fruit cake, and ice cream, not to mention fresh pecans from Texas and luscious fudge. We basked in the sun and gambolled in the blue surf all afternoon, just as loads of tourists there did; you could fancy them in their rooms that night writing: "How strange it seems to be surf-bathing on Christmas day while you all were snow-balling, no doubt." It was fine.

Enjoys Game of Golf.

The next day I did a desperate thing. I went golfing. That's a sport I haven't indulged in since University days, but, contrary to my habit then, I didn't lose my ball. The links aren't very far from here in a lovely valley. When you've crossed and recrossed and have finally worked up to the fifth hole you get a splendid view of the sea, and of course always the mountains, blue and shadowy, are there. It was a glorious day to be tramping about. O, I love the place when I can get out and about!

A Regular Cloud Burst.

Yesterday Hope Lytle and I tried desperately to get in for a swim. We took our lunch down to the Outrigger left our raincoats and umbrellas there while we went back for a book. And while we were in the library, out of a perfectly clear sky there came a regular cloud-burst, the worst rain they've had for years. The library was already to close, but we had to stay. An hour we waited the storm hadn't let up much, there was no telephone, so there was nothing for it but to try to get back to her room. Well, we did. We waded streams six inches deep. We splashed and we stumbled. When we finally landed, I was soaked and Hope is sizes smaller than I am! And our lunch still at the beach!

I managed to squeeze into a very short skirt and a middy of Hope's and her rubbers, and the boarding department let us have some warmed-over lunch. And then the weather cleared!

She Had Read the Book.

Leaving my shoes by the kitchen stove and taking the serge skirt from me, leaving me in a still shorter kimono, Hope sallied forth after my raincoat. In an hour she was back, everything safe and settled back for a quiet afternoon with one hard-earned story. As I finished the first sentence, Hope set up with a startled expression, "I've read that;" she said; so we'd forfeited the day and the starch in our clothes for a book she'd already read.

We finally found something else and whiled away the time 'til a little after 4 o'clock. We were invited for tea for 4:30 o'clock, so we began to brush up. Then someone called from below, "Weren't you people coming to my party? I'm already and waiting."

"We're coming when you told us to—at 4:30," hurled back Hope.

"Four thirty!—it's nearly five now!" said our prospective hostess. Our clock was slow! Well, we went—I still in that painfully short kimono.

A Nice Tea Party.

It was a nice party—the room, appointments and the hostess were charming. At length we tore ourselves away. My clothes were sufficiently dry to put on again; so I started to walk to the transfer junction. I walked and walked—only to discover after going blocks that I'd headed the wrong way. And when I finally got home there wasn't any mail for me. So ended an eventful day.

I am sending you an old catalogue of the schools (they don't seem to have any new ones) and a map of the city, showing you just where we are located. Also Oahu College where Hope is.

A CONSERVATORY PROGRAM

Bi-Weekly Recital Will Be Held At Hall at 7:30 O'clock This Evening.

The following program will be given by pupils of the Conservatory of Music at the Recital Hall at 7:30 tonight.

Water Sprites' Boat Song (Neidlinger), Eva Margaret Frank.

Slumber Song, (Orth), Audrey Stiwalt.

Barcarolle from "Tales of Hoffman" (Offenbach), Ned Colbert.

Mazurka (Heins), Laveta Epperson.

Capricante (Wachs), Helen Dean.

Crescendo (Lasson), Mary Wooldridge.

Vocal duet, "Love Faileth Never," (Krohn), Mrs. C. A. Bone and Miss Dona Peter.

Caprice (Greig), Evadne Batt.

Love Song (Steinfeldt), Eva Bohannan.

Song Without Words (Holzel), Amy Ebersole.

In Autumn (MacDowell).

From An Indian Lodge(MacDowell), Cleo Kime.

URGE QUICK INVESTIGATION.

Both Democrats and Republicans Want the "Leak" Cleared up.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Both Democrats and Republicans are urging all possible speed in finishing the "leak" investigation and pressure will be brought to bear on House Rules committee when it meets in New York tomorrow to lose no time in getting to the bottom of the disclosures.

A 50-DEGREE DROP

THERMOMETER FALLS TO 5 DEGREES BELOW IN 18 HOURS.

BAROMETER IS LOW, TOO

Koch Pharmacy Instrument Registers 28.90, Lowest Recorded—Sun Dogs Makes Appearance.

A 50-degree drop in temperature in about eighteen hours is the latest freak in Maryville weather. Yesterday at noon the thermometer registered 45 degrees. This morning the temperature was 5 below zero. Such a change in temperature has not been experienced in Maryville for some time.

The official thermometer registered only five degrees below zero this morning and the presence of the sun dogs on either side of the sun registered the fact that the atmosphere was laden with ice crystals.

The sun dogs or parhelia, as they are scientifically named, are two great spots of light which are produced by ice crystals in the air. The sun shining upon these crystals causes the spots to contain all the colors of the rainbow. In cold snowy climates sun dogs are common features of the landscape, both at the rising and at the setting of the sun.

A phenomena, similar to that of the sun dogs is seen in Egypt, where the cause is attributed to the presence of sand in the atmosphere.

The barometer at the Koch Pharmacy registered the highest and lowest pressure ever recorded in one week. January 16 the highest pressure, 30.40, which has never been recorded in January, was registered. Yesterday the pressure was 28.90 which is the lowest which Mr. Koch has on record. At New Orleans during the storm of October 2, 1915, the barometric pressure was 28.11, which was the third lowest in the history of the world. In 1885 during a great storm 27.15 was recorded at Bengal, India and in 1899 a pressure of 28.80 was recorded in Royal, Porto Rico.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Five Northern states, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota and part of Iowa today in grip of worst blizzard in twenty years. Heavy snow and high winds caused great damage in many cities.

CHRISTIAN REVIVAL ENDS

Fifteen or Sixteen Members Added to the Church During Doctor Richardson's Services.

The revival at the Christian Church, which has been under the direction of Dr. W. F. Richardson of Kansas City, closed last night. During the three weeks when Doctor Richardson preached, fifteen or sixteen additions were made to the church, although the purpose of the revival was not so much to gain new members as to strengthen those already in the church.

Doctor Richardson left last night for Kansas City where he will remain for some time before taking his trip west.

INCREASE FIRE PREVENTION

Civic Committee of Commefcial Club Will Co-operate With Water and Fire Depts. in Measures.

The Civic Committee of the Commercial Club, of which George Robb Ellison is chairman, will co-operate with the members of the fire and watr departments to increase the means of fire prevention, according to a decision reached at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors today.

The Board of Directors endorsed the third class city manager bill now pending before the state legislature, and also endorsed a bill which provides that public service corporations or corporations may hold more than 10 per cent of stock in other public service corporations. They also ordered E. M. Claypool to take a membership in the national Chamber of Commerce of the United States which has its headquarters in Washington.

Revival at Skidmore.

Revival meetings are in progress at the Christian Church in Skidmore and fifteen conversions resulted from the services yesterday. There were ten conversions Saturday. Elder Funderburk is conducting the meetings and Miss Callahan is the singer. The meetings will continue the coming week.

SOLDIERS COMING

FOURTH MISSOURI REGIMENT TO BE MUSTERED OUT.

25,243 TO BE RELEASED

Commercial Club On Learning Exact Date of Arrival Will Probably Prepare "Home-Coming."

The Fourth Regiment will be sent home as soon as transportation facilities can be provided. The exact time of the return is not known as the mustering out will depend solely upon the quickness with which the troops can be removed from the border.

The regiment will be released together with more than 25,000 national guardsmen, now on the Mexican border. Their departure will leave between 45,000 and 50,000 men still doing guard duty.

The department's statement said.

"Gen. Funston has selected these organizations chiefly in accordance with the rule of returning first troops longest in service on the border. To some extent, however, this rule could not be followed without unequal weakening of the border guard and the departures from it are so explained. The total strength of the organization selected is 25,243."

The guardsmen designated for return and muster out include:

Arkansas—First infantry.

Iowa—First squadron cavalry, field hospital No. 1, ambulance company No. 1, brigade headquarters, Third infantry.

Missouri—Fourth infantry.

Nebraska—Field hospital No. 1, company A, signal corps, Fifth infantry.

Oklahoma—First infantry, troops A and B cavalry, field hospital company, company A engineers.

The Maryville men belonging to the Fourth Regiment Infantry and who will return are: Henry M. Dressler, John La Velle, James R. McMahon, Sam Mitchell, Carl Tarpley, E. L. Howard, Henry Reynolds, T. B. Maulding, Harold Maulding, Ezra Phipps, Frank Schumacher, Herman King, Mel Atherton, Bert Woodard, Robert Bramble, Earl Bricker, Ercille Kinman, William Grammar, Orville Vert and Frank Spargur.

George Crowson, Charles Casey and Oliver Bovard were sent back from Nevada shortly after the troops were ordered to the border in June. Marion Minter, Claud Wilson, Thomas McMullen and I. B. Williams were permitted to return from Laredo at different intervals. Frank Schumacher, Ezra Phipps and Charles Still have had furloughs.

As soon as the date of the return of the regiment has been positively learned, it is probable that the Commercial Club will take action and prepare some sort of a home-coming in honor of the returning soldier boys.

ARE NO LONGER PARTNERS

Firm of Frost & Speirs Dissolves Business Relations — Mr. Frost Will Conduct Own Produce House.

The produce firm of Frost & Speirs has dissolved partnership and J. A. Speirs will continue the business at the present location, 118 East Fifth street. Mr. Speirs will fit up his plant with all new and up-to-date equipment.

The other member of the old firm, Byron Frost, will open a produce house in the building formerly occupied by the Reimer meat market.

2 COUSINS DIE SAME DAY

John B. Cox Receives Word of Death of Alfred and Henry Bridgeford, Formerly of Maryville.

John B. Cox received word of the deaths of his cousins, Henry Bridgeford at Kansas City and of Albert Bridgford at Denver, Colo. Both deaths took place on the same day, January 17. A telegram announcing the death of Albert Bridgebford was sent to his brother, Henry Bridgeford, at Kansas City and when an attempt was made to deliver the message, he was found dead. The Bridgeford's were formerly residents of Maryville about thirty-two years ago.

Frank Armstrong Here.

Frank W. Armstrong of Trimble, Mo., arrived in Maryville this morning, called here by the serious illness of his father, J. J. Armstrong, who is 85 years old. Mr. Armstrong has pneumonia.

GO IN, YOUNG MAN.

—Harding in Brooklyn Eagle.

TRIAL DATE IS SET

MRS. CLEMMA GILMORE TO BE TRIED FEBRUARY 9.

PETIT JURY TOMORROW

First Case For Trial Is That of George Craig, Charged With Local Option Law Violation.

Mrs. Clemma Gilmore, charged with killing Mrs. Ella Shipps, was arraigned before the circuit court this morning and the date of her trial which will start February 9, was set.

Jim Young, who was indicted by the grand jury on two charges, shooting on the public highway and carrying concealed weapons, appeared in court this morning and pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at $300 in each case.

George Williams on a charge of gaming pleaded guilty and was fined $25.

A case to construe a will was taken up by Judge Dawson this afternoon. The case was filed by Benjamin F. Tarpley, Julia A. Tarpley, Flora B. Nunnelley, John B. Nunnelley, Martha E. Tarpley, Maud M. Tarpley, Margaret A. Tarpley, Albert A. Tarpley, Ethelyn C. Tarpley, Ivy D. Tarpley, Margaret A. Tarpley vs. Mary and Thomas S. McDonald. The court decided for the plaintiffs as per decree on file.

Judge V. L. Drain of Shelbyville, Mo., will arrive in Maryville tonight and will hold court for Judge Dawson who is disqualified from sitting in several cases, having formerly been counsel in these cases.

The petit jury is called for tomorrow and the first case to come up will be that of George Craig, charged with violation of the local option law.

TWO MORE SUBMARINES COMING.

Passengers From Germany, Say That 2 Will Start Maiden Voyage.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Jan. 22.—Passengers arriving here from Germany on the Norwegian steamer, Bergensfjord, declared today two new merchant submarines will start their maiden trip Wednesday.

A GERMAN RAIDER SUNK?

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pernambuco, Jan. 22.—Rumors that the German raider was sunk by a British cruiser, Glasgow, still afloat. No confirmation however.

Take 1,500-Mile Ride.

F. B. Goodspeed & Son sent two Chester White pigs on a 1,500-mile ride to James Sage, of St. Cloud, Fla. Mr. Sage is a former resident of Maryville.

PLANS ARE FRUSTRATED

Attempts of Russo-Rumanians to Penetrate German Positions Repulsed—Other War News.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Jan. 22.—Attempts of the Russian-Roumanians to penetrate the Teutonic positions on the Putna river west of Panciu, were repulsed, the war office announced. There is heavy cannonading on both sides of Citoz Valley in Moldavia. In Eastern Carpathia engagements at several points near Lens were recorded. The Russian raiding attacks active last night, west of Frederickstadt, but they were all repulsed. Only isolated clashes have taken place between raiding detachments in Macedonia.

Paris, Jan. 22.—Germans delivered two attacks against the French north of Caurieres on the Verdun front last night, but were repulsed with heavy losses to the patrol. There were several engagements in Alsace.

A. B. JUSTUS DIES.

Long Illness Fatal to Aged Man — Leaves Wife and 10 Children.

A. B. Justus, 70 years old, died at 2 o'clock Sunday morning at his home on East Thompson street following a long illness. Mr. Justus is survived by his wife and ten children, six of which are at home. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Aid in Degree Work.

Dr. Karl Malotte, Chester Bennett, Virgil Guthrie, Frank Orcutt, Noah Sipes, W. C. Pearson and Jacob Moore went to Guilford Saturday evening in Mr. Pearson's car to aid the Guilford members of the I. O. O. F. in giving the initiatory degrees. Those initiated into the Guilford lodge were: Rev. O. E. Lockhart, Charles Wilson and Mr. Griggs. Lunch was served after the degree work was given.

Mrs. Mike Sturm Injured.

Mrs. Mike Sturm, living south of Maryville, fell Saturday at her home. She struck her head on the cement walk and cut a gash in her head about three inches long. Mrs. Sturm was unconscious about three and one-half hours, but is reported as improved today.

Mrs. Toel to Hopkins.

Mrs. Court Toel of Little Rock, Ark., who is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel, went to Hopkins this morning to visit for a few days.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Saturday to William Lee of St. Joseph and Miss Goldie Timmons of Burlington Junction.

Ira Richardson went to St. Joseph this morning on business.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS

PRESIDENT ASKS U. S. TO AID IN PEACE MEASURES.

ASKS PREVENTIVE MEANS

Wilson Outlines What in His Opinion Is Necessary to End the Struggle, and Make Peace Certain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—An appeal that the United States outline principles for the league of nations to make future wars impossible was made by President Wilson unexpectedly today in his second step in an effort to end the war. In an address to the senate which shared with him the power to handle the foreign affairs of the nation, the president outlined what in his opinion is necessary to end the struggle and make certain that it be the last great conflict.

President Wilson declared he proposed "the Monroe doctrine for all peoples of the world," and said he proposed that no nation should seek to extend its policy over any other nation so that every people will be left free to determine its own policy. He insisted that the war must be ended on treaties which will embody terms to win the approval of mankind.

EXPLOSION AT DUBUQUE.

City Panic Stricken at Terrific Jar, Location of Which is not Learned.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Dubuque, Iowa, Jan. 22.—All of Dubuque and East Dubuque was shaken by a terrific explosion, the location of which was not yet learned, this morning. The entire city was jarred and thousands ran panic stricken from homes. No report of the injury.

NEW COMMERCE RECORD.

U. S. Department Makes Public 1916 Business Records.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Overwhelming figures on the commerce of the United States in 1916 fairly bristling with new records were made public today by the department of commerce. The total foreign business was $7,873,000,000, the largest in the history.

BLUE LAWS CONSTITUTIONAL.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Blue sky laws held constitutional in Michigan, Ohio, South Dakota by the supreme court.

DREDGE BOAT AT A STANDSTILL.

Frozen Ground Makes Work of Excavating Exceedingly Difficult.

The dredge boat, which was to have completed the excavation of the new channel of the 102 river from the state line to the Carr bridge, about January 1, is making slow progress on account of the cold weather. The ground is frozen for a distance of two feet, and this makes the work of excavating exceedingly difficult. No definite time can be set for the completion of the task.

MRS. FORBES MINARD DIES.

Parnell Woman Succumbs to Illness Caused by Leg Amputation.

Mrs. Forbes Minard, 60 years old, died at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at a hospital in St. Joseph. Her leg was amputated for a cancerous growth, about two weeks ago. The body was taken to Parnell today. Mrs. Minard is survived by a husband and two children. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Fire at Parnell.

A dwelling house, four miles west of Parnell, belonging to Andy Spire was burned to the ground yesterday. The house was leased to William Offert. Mr. Offert saved the furniture downstairs, but all the rest was burned.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight; continued cold east, rising temperature west portion late tonight. Tuesday unsettled with rising temperature, probably snow west portion.

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900 BILLS BEFORE HOUSE

Legislators Have Prepared Enormous Number of Measures — Very Few Will Pass This Term.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Jan. 22.—There are about 900 bills before the General Assembly and several hundred more will be introduced this week. The senate has about double the number of bills before it now than it had at any previous session. All these bills are printed once, and those that are engrossed will be printed a second time, and reprinted if amendments are adopted.

There doubtless will be more than 1500 bills before the General Assembly.

Out of all this mass of legislation it is deemed unlikely that more than 12 or 15 bills of general importance, outside of the appropriations bills, will pass.

"Sunny" Vance Arrested.

William "Sunny" Vance, a colored boy, was arrested today on a charge of disturbing the peace of his wife. Vance pleaded not guilty and his case was set for trial for next Monday.

To Attend a Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahoney left this morning for St. Joseph, where they will attend the funeral of a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKee of Barnard were in Maryville on business Saturday.

KODAK developing and printing at Crane's. tf

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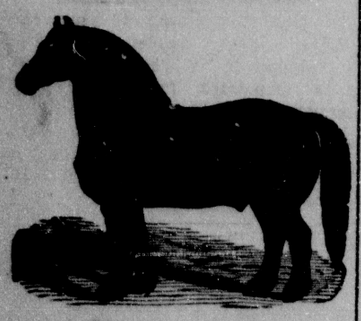

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Fern Theatre—Your Theatre
WEEKLY PROGRAM

Monday, January 22—Today
"IRON CLAW" No. 15—two acts Featuring Pearl White
"THE RESURRECTION" a two act drama—Society Life
"LUKE JOINS THE NAVY"—Screaming Luke Comedy.
5 and 10c 5 and 10c

10c to all Tuesday, Jan. 23—Tomorrow 10c to all
Bluebird Photoplay Presents
Another Picture Supreme
"The Secret of the Swamps"
IN FIVE ACTS
Featuring that bewitching Star Myrtle Gonzalez, supported by an eminent cast of players
10c to all 10c to all

10 and 15c Wednesday, January 24 10 and 15c
He's Here—Your Old Friend
Charlie Chaplin IN HIS SCREAMING KOMEDY
"THE COUNT"—in Two Acts
Also Two Act Drama of International Life, Featuring Neva Gerber, titled "HONOR THY COUNTRY"
and One Act Nestor Comedy NIGHTS OF THE BATHTUB
10 and 15c 10 and 15c

5 and 10c Thursday, January 25 5 and 10c
"THE LIE SUBLIME" a two act BIG U Drama featuring KING BAGGOT.
"BEHIND THE SCENES IN JAPAN" one act.
"THE HALTING HAND" one act drama, also one act L-KO Komedy
5 and 10c 5 and 10c

10c to all Friday, January 25 10c to all!
"LIBERTY" The 6th Episode of that thrilling serial in 2 acts
"GUILTY" a two part under world drama of tense dramatic situation featuring Harry Carey
"A CAPABLE LADY COOK" one act scream—Nestor Komedy.
10c to all 10c to all

5 and 10c Saturday, January 27. 5 and 10c
Matinee 3 p. m.—Night 7:45
"FOR LOVE AND GOLD" two part Western Dram
"HER VANISHED YOUTH" one act Drama
"A SHADOWED SHADOW" Joker comedy in 1 act, with Gale Henry and William Franey—a scream.
Also One Act L-KO Komedy
5 and 10c 5 and 10c

Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed in the recorder's office in Nodaway county, beginning January 13, 1917.

Thomas N. Kelley to Roy D. Kelley, NE, NW, 18, 65, 34, $4,000.

Clarence J. Hood to Isaac E. James, et. al., E½, NW, Fr ¾, 32, 67, 36, $2,000.

Arthur A. James to Isaac E. James, et. al., part E½, NW, Fr., 32, 67, 36, $2,100.

W. C. Pierce to Franklin Bonar, NE, SE, & N½, NW, SE, 3, 66, 35, $3,700.

Fred A. Breit to Bessie Carmichael, lot 47, Rose Hill Cemetery, $10.

Harry H. Mutz to Bernice F. Dowling, N¼, block 3, Saunders Add. Maryville, $4,500.

James E. Hamilton to Rosetta A. Schaffer, N½, SE, & SW, SE, 36, 67, 38, $1,500.

Stephen H. Kemp to William C. Baker, et. al., part lot 12, block 1, Robinson's Add. to Maryville, $800.

W. C. Pierce to Frank Andrews, SE, SE, 3, 66, 35, $3,100.

W. C. Pierce to Leonard Andrews, N½, NE, 3, 66, 35, $3,647.

Henry M. Lincoln to Charles R. Fakes, N½, NW, SE, and part lot 1, NE, 5, 65, 35, $4,000.

I. O. O. F. lodge, Quitman, to Eli W. Bailey, lot 1, block 26, Rebecca Cemetery, $15.

Jesse F. Patton to Joseph C. Manning, lot 7, block 1, 7 Add. Skidmore, $3,250

Thomas L. Richey to George R. Massagree, lots 22, 23 and 24, Corn Belt Add. Conception Junction, $500.

James E. Hilton to Charles Hilton, SW, SW, 15, 64, 34, $3,000.

George W. Hempstead to Thomas J. Puckett, lot 4, block 6, Sex. Add. to Maryville, $3,000.

Jeremiah M. Smith et. al., to Robert K. Swaney, Est., lot 31, Oak Hill cemetery, $25.

Alfred C. Gann to Daniel E. McDonald and wife, part SE, SE, 7, 64, 35, $7,000.

E. R. Thompson to J. N. King, E½, SE, 16, 63, 34, $1.

Benjamin F. Litte, to Harl S. Holt and wife, SE, SE, 31, and SW, SW, 32, 62, 35, $8,000.

Matilda J. Fike, et. al., to William L. Moorehead and wife, part. SW, SE, 22, 66, 35, $50.

Miss Ethel Cockrell left Saturday for her home at Princeton, Mo., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. B. Schuler of Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

To Live in Chicago.

Ray Davis will leave this evening for Chicago, where he will become assistant secretary of the American Poland China Record association. Mrs. Davis and children will leave for Chicago the latter part of the week. Mr. Davis has been secretary of the Standard Poland-China Record association for the last two years.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Here From Des Moines.

Miss Golda Airy of Des Moines, Ia., arrived Saturday evening to visit her mother, Mrs. C. H. Airy, for a few days.

Asa Ramey of Arkoe who has been taking treatment at a sanitarium in Savannah returned to his home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Swinford of Pickering were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hood.

Ernest Swinford of Pickering visited over Sunday with friends in Maryville.

Salmon Skin Clothes.

The Eskimos of Alaska make waterproof boots and shirts of the skins of salmon.

The Vatican Library.

The library of the Vatican was begun 1,400 years ago. It contains 40,000 manuscripts.

Somebody Fooled School Board.

Lowell, Mass.—A woman without authority suspended afternoon sessions of the public schools of Lowell by telephoning the central fire station to sound the no school signal. When Superintendent Molloy heard the bells he telephoned the fire officials, who declared that the woman had said she was in the school superintendent's office.

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February Term, 1917.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12th.

1. Alden, Helen G. James B. Robinson, Gdn.
2. Andrews, George L. William C. Pierce, Admr.
3. Applegate, John H. Joseph H. Sayler, Admr.
4. Busby, Melvina John M. Busby, Admr.
5. Brown, Daniel Jonas F. and Charles W. Brown, Execs.
6. Bonar, Charles H. Franklin E. Bonar, Exec.
7. Bryant, James Harvey, Farmers Trust Co., Admr.
8. Bush, William William L. Bush and Byron C. Sowers, Admrs.
9. Beedle, Ida J. Howard J. Beedle, Exec.
10. Beabm, Cheslie and Marie John C. Lanning, Cur.
11. Barmann, Francis L. Frank Barmann, Cur.
12. Comegys, Samuel Margaret Comegys, Execx.
13. Carter, William J. L. D. Carter, Exec.
14. Curry, John M. Fay H. Casteel, Exec.
15. Cox, Luther C. Jacob W. Cox, Admr.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13th.

16. Castillo, Hugh N. Hugh R. Lamb, Gdn.
17. Combs, James P. Mary Combs, Execx.
18. Campbell, Ida Marie Warren J. Campbell, Cur.
19. Caldwell, Elizabeth M. and Clark H. Charles D. Caldwell, Cur.
20. Diss, John S. Catherine Diss, Exec.
21. Dobbins, George William Dobbins, Exec.
22. Dunlap, William S. James Blagg, Gdn.
23. Embree, Maud Jesse F. Robertson, Cur.
24. Fink, Andrew Andrew E. Fink, Exec.
25. Ford, Elizabeth Merle Stephen H. Kemp, Cur.
26. Farrens, William Guy C. Clary, Exec.
27. Griffey, Charles A. Myrtle M. Griffey, Admr.
28. Goforth, John C. William H. Goforth, Admr., C. T. A.
29. Giese, August C. Jesse F. Robertson, Admr., C. T. A.
30. Graves, Cleo B. Jefferson Graves, Cur.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14th.

31. Goodson, Virginia Bess M. Goodson, Cur.
32. Hill, William N. Rebecca J. Hill, Admx.
33. Holker, John Charley Holker, Exec.
34. Huddle, Uril Kenneth et. al. Thomas A. Corken, Cur.
35. Hammond, Esther and Oralee Lewis H. Hammond, Cur.
36. Hildebrant, James E. and Mary B. Mary C. Hildebrant, Cur.
37. Hodges, Ezekiel W. Louis A. Morehouse, Exec.
38. Hays, Isabell U. H. W. Montgomery, Admr., C. T. A. D. B. N.
39. Harris, Nide May Harris, Execx.
40. Johnson, James M. Walter B. Johnson, Admr.
41. Jones, John W. James B. Robinson, Cur.
42. Johnson, Phoebe A. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
43. Kinman, John R. Eliza J. Kinman, Admx.
44. Leet, Sarah J. W. C. Pierce, Exec.
45. Landfather, Ava M. et. al. Luella Landfather, Cur.

Thursday, February 15.

46. Lake, Edwin B. Walter S. Lake, Gdn.
47. Laur, Elizabeth K. George A. Laur, Admr. C. T. A.
48. Lane, Elizabeth S. George W. Cole, Admr.
49. Linville, Lydia A. Lucinda E. Owens, Admx.
50. Luke, Hieronymus Elizabeth Luke, Execx.
51. Long, Leslie A. et. al. Almoreen Long, Cur.
52. Morris, Eliza John E. Donaldson, Admr.
53. Miller, Joseph E. Bertha M. Miller, Gdn.
54. Martin, Mary Joseph J. Enis, Gdn.
55. Miller, Andrew et. al. Anna E. Miller, Cur.
56. Miller, Bessie and Herman John F. Roelofson, Pub. Gdn.
57. Moffitt, Elwood John F. Roelofson, Pub. Gdn.
58. Moss, Calvin C. W. F. Mercer, Cur.
59. McCue, John Catherine McCue, Admx. C. T. A.
60. McMillion, Nancy J. Henry Weber, Exec.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16th.

61. Northover, Daniel A. Edward A. Northover and Edmond Mosby, Execs.
62. Parrish, Joseph V. Charles W. Barrett, Admr.
63. Price, Isaac John Price, Admr.
64. Pence, Lavina John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
65. Pope, Haxel Grace, et. al. Thomas C. Pope, Gdn.
66. Rasco, James H. Ida B. Rasco, Admx.
67. Rodman, Samuel Minnie M. Rodman, Execx.
68. Roth, Hamilton William P. Lemon, Admr.
69. Rice, Joseph U. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
70. Ross, Levi T. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
71. Snyder, Abraham C. Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
72. Snyder and Markham, Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
73. Snyder and John Harmon Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
74. Snyder and Sam Harmon Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
75. Stalling, Ernest H. and Paul Henry Stalling, Cur.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17th

76. Snodgrass, Isom C. Alice M. Snodgrass, Execx.
77. Sturgeon, Obediah James O. F. and Hebron Sturgeon, Execs.
78. Staples, Rodolph R., Sr. Hannah I. and Lester O. Staples, Execx. and Exec.
79. Steinhauser, Michael, et. al. William Steinhauser, Cur.
80. Selecman, Mary E. Lillie J. Selecman, Cur.
81. Sewell, Alice L. et. al. Claud A. Sewell, Cur.
82. Swain, Eveline B. Reuben Swain, Gdn.
83. Todd, Samuel S. Jesse F. Robertson, Admr., D. B. N. C. T. A.
84. Tebow, Isaac Chas. E. and Isaac E. Tebow, Execs.
85. Todd, Robert John E. Todd, Admr.
86. Thompson, Truman D. Montgomery E. Thompson, Cur.
87. Tunnison, Ella Mary F. Parcher, Gdn.
88. Van Briggle, Eliza E. Charles E. Stilwell, Admr.
89. Williams, Robert O. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Gdn.
90. Wilson, Walter J. and Arthur J. Stephen H. Kemp, Cur.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18th

91. Wilbur, Lydia A. Eugene Ogden, Gdn.
92. Wohlford, Emanuel Angeline Wohlford, Execx.
93. Wagner, Hubert Mary A. Wagner, Admx.
94. Whitney, Harry F. William B. Whitney, Admr.
95. Wallace, William S. Roy F. Hanna, Admr.
96. White, Julia A. George R. Hague, Admr.
97. Yiesley, David James B. Robinson, Gdn.

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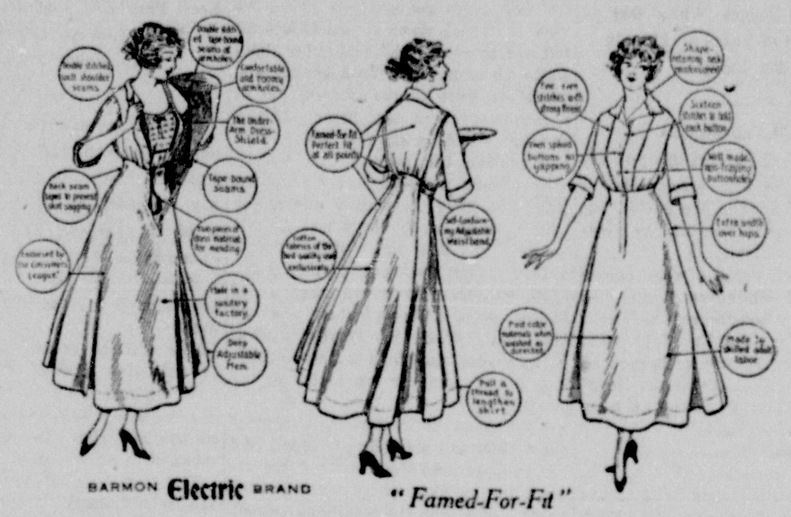

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No. 1 Ben Davis Apples, bbl ..... $4.25 peck 45c
Holland Herring (genuine Milchners), keg $1.35
Best quality Mustard Sardines, large cans 10c
7 pkgs Naptha Washing Powder for 25c
3 pkgs best Mince Meat 25c
2 cans (No. 1 sizes) Tomatoes 15c
Best Sugar Cured Hams, whole or half, per pound 21c
25c Lean Streaked Bacon, per lb any amount 20c

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Extra large, doz 45c
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30c quality Golden Santos bulk Roast Coffee, 4½ lbs $1.00
5 lbs new Mexican Beans 50c
5 lbs Fresh Flake Hominy 25c
Van Camp's finest Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans 25c
½ lb cans Bon Bon Baking Powder 4c
10c pkgs Corn Flakes ..... 2 for 15c
Good Black Walnuts, peck 20c; bu. 75c
7 lbs Pearl Hominy 25c
5c per tin for Domestic Sardines in oil
10c Cartons Morton's free running Salt ..... 2 for 15c
35c cartons Swan's Down Cake Flour 28c
25c pkgs Kellogg's Cooked Bran ..... 2 for 45c
Self Rising Buckwheat, pkgs 10c
Quart cans Sweet Potatoes 10c
Chrushed Oyster Shell, 100 lb sacks 75c
50-lb sacks 45c
Country Butter, per lb 30c
Evaporated Loganberries, 2 pkgs 25c
5c pkg best Crackers ..... 4 for 15c
Nice Bulk Olives, pint 15c
Good Cotton Mitts or Gloves per pair 10c

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To Begin Housekeeping.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White have engaged the cottage known as the Arthur Andrews property at 515 South Buchanan street, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis, and will begin housekeeping, February 1.

To Attend Stock Show.

Lawrence Ogden left last night for Denver, Colo., where he will attend the Mid-Winter Livestock Show which is being held there.

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Calendar.

TUESDAY—The Shakespeare department of the Twentieth Century club will meet with Miss Mary Frances Ford at her home, 120 East First street.

The Mary Lawrence Mission Circle of the Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Ed. Egley at 7:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY—The Penelope Club will meet with Mrs. U. S. Wright.

THURSDAY — The officers and teachers of the Intermediate department of the First Methodist church will give a social Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY—The Ladies' Aid Society of the South Methodist Church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Farrar, on North Buchanan street, with Mrs. Farrar and Mrs. Seals as hostesses.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet with Mrs. S. H. Kemp on Lawn avenue.

SATURDAY — The Queen Esther Circle will meet with Miss Mildred Bellows at her home on South Fillmore street.

The P. E. O. will meet with Mrs. C. C. Corwin. The state organizer, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams will be present at the meeting.

Hartman's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman entertained at dinner yesterday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole and son, Wilson, and daughter, Dorothy.

Guests at Montgomery's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery entertained yesterday at dinner the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel and Mrs. Court Toel.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gordon were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner given yesterday at their home. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Carmichael and Miss Vesta Wright.

Whitehead's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitehead entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday at their home on South Fillmore street for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hilton and children Harold, Ralph, and Raymond, of Ravenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer, Misses Eva and Maud Whitehead.

Classy Classics Meet.

The Class Classics club met Thursday night at the home of Miss Bernice Brummett of Parnell. The club will take up the subject, "The Great Stone Face," for their next study. Those present at the club were, Bessie Stoner, Lena Foland, Mildred Hall, Lucile Collins, Quete Morgan, Helen Welch, Inez Surplus, Cecil Collins and Mrs. Mollie Klaas.

Honor Guests at Dinners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis, who are leaving soon to make their home in Chicago, were the honor guests at a dinner given yesterday noon by the Rev. and Mrs. Wiles. Yesterday evening they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McDonald at a six o'clock dinner and Saturday evening they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hull.

W. R. C.'s Surprised.

The members of the W. R. C. were surprised at the close of the regular meeting Saturday afternoon by an invitation to remain for a social hour. The retiring president, Mrs. Lena Ruddell, assisted by the new president, Mrs. Dora Holbrook, served refreshments of cake and coffee, which was enjoyed by all. A good crowd was present.

The Loyal Berean Class.

The Loyal Berean class of the Wilcox Christian Sunday School was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan by Jess Logan. After the business hour the class was dismissed for a social hour. Those present were Misses Bernice Duncan, Alena Holt, Edna Meyers, Gladys Thompson, Lydia Onstot, Marie and Mabel Lowe, Edna Garrett and Lucile Duncan; Messrs. Perry Onstot, Charles Kelly, Clint, Joe, Glen and Rolla Adams, Charles Walton, Emmett Lowe, Dale Hughes, Joe Holt, Hilard Thompson, Fred Lekey, Tom Adams and Sorenus Jensen, Mrs. Onstot and Mr. and Mrs. George Meyers.

Mrs. Fred Buck, Hostess.

Mrs. Fred Buck entertained Thursday afternoon in honor of the members of the Rural Improvement Club. Fifteen members were present. The afternoon was spent in tacking a comforter which was pieced by the members some time ago. When the work was finished the business meeting was held, and then refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Claude Neville. Those present were: Mrs. Harry Lewis, Mrs. Lee Devore, Mrs. Joel Trullinger, Mrs. Earl Heflin, Mrs. Newt Moore, Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. M. S. Casteel, Mrs. J. G. Harbison, Mrs. Bert McKee, Mrs. Ben Allen, Mrs. Ben Cox, Mrs. C. R. Green, Mrs. Lloyd Casteel, Mrs. Blanche Moore and Lucy McElroy.

For Wedding Anniversaries.

An oyster supper was given in honor of the wedding anniversaries of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bloomfield and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kennedy at the Bloomfield home, near Parnell. The evening was spent in playing games. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Cornie Leech, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kennedy and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Susan Miller Surprised.

Mrs. Susan Miller of Skidmore, was pleasantly surprised Sunday, when friends and neighbors came in with well filled baskets to help her celebrate her fifty-second birthday anniversary. At the noon hour an elaborate dinner was spread, and the following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Guy McClain and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Horn and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Horn and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. McDaniel, John Gibbs and daughter, Alta, of Platte, Neb., Mrs. H. M. Hoagland and daughter, Miss Beulah, Mrs. Myrtle Long, Mrs. Nellie Ibes, Miss Mary Hughes, Miss Nancy Milton, Misses Tena and Jessie McClain and Ralston McClain.

For Husband's Birthday.

A surprise party was planned and successfully carried out Saturday night by Mrs. Charles Gallagher at their beautiful country home west of Maryville in honor of her husband's twenty-seventh birthday anniversary. During the evening "forty-two" was played, the prize going to Mrs. Emmett Scott. A dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Emmett Scott, Miss Ethel Ray and Miss Verna Thomas. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott and son, Paul Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Will Job, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zimmerman, Misses Ella and Veronica O'Grady, Miss Ola Zimmerman, Miss Verna Thomas, Miss Mamie McCrary, Miss Golda Adcock, Miss Ethel Ray; Messrs. Ross Scott, Howard Watson, Will O'Grady and Clyde Adcock.

Dance at K. C. Hall.

A number of young girls entertained with a dance followed by a luncheon at the Knights of Columbus hall, Friday night. The young people were chaperoned by Mrs. W. R. Tilson, Mrs. Frank Murray, and Mrs. Grace Fogan. Those present were: Misses Mamie Tilson, Bertha Fanning, Bess Knox, Marie Murray, Daisy Allen, Maybird Parrish, Hazel Pope, Agnes Bickett, Agnes Brewer, Myrtle Lanning, Ola Zimmerman, Gertrude Gilleland, Luta Moody; Ed. Kirch, Elmer Bagby, George Sillers, Jack Stearn of Clyde, Joe Archer and Cordon Vickery, of Conception, Clayton Woodward of Arkoe, N. C. Wagers, Mr. Hubbard, Leslie Woodward, Dick Levasy, Glenn Reece, Arthur, Charley and Arlie Robey, Ed. Hawkins, Harry Dempsey and Will O'Grady. Music was furnished by Miss Golda Pope.

Bloomdale W. W.'s Meet.

The Bloomdale W. W. Club had a very enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. Runnels on last Thursday afternoon. After the business session, Mrs. Walter Runnels was leader for the hour of entertainment. Each member recited a childhood poem or gave a musical selection which caused a great deal of merriment. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Edmund Harvey and Mrs. Walter Runnels in serving refreshments. All too soon came the hour for adjournment. The following members were present: Mrs. Edmund Harvey, Mrs. Hornbuckle, Mrs. Will Gorton, Mrs. George Wray, Mrs. Marion Gray, Mrs. Charles Birkenholz, Mrs. Chance Copeland, Mrs. Will Lett, Mrs. Abe Byerrum, Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mrs. Amanda Pistole, Mrs. Walter Runnels and children, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. Cris Moon, Mrs. John Stevens, and Mrs. Robert Aley.

The visitors were: Mrs. Carrie Hanna, Mrs. Bert Shannon, and Mrs. Albert Hinton. The club will meet with Mrs. Walter Runnels on February 1 for an all day session. A full attendance is desired.

Yeomans Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yeomans entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of the second birthday anniversary of their son, Walter Calvin Yeomans. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bowmer, Mrs. N. F. Humber, Mrs. S. G. Seleeman and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, and Mrs. S. J. Yeomans of Hopkins.

Adcocks Entertain.

Miss Golda Adcock and Clyde Adcock entertained the following at Sunday dinner: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tucker, Misses Edna and Myrtle Tucker and Everett Tucker, all of Ravenwood, and Coy Adcock.

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Senate Unanimously Against Exhorbitant Price of Print Paper—Resolution Adopted

Jefferson City, Jan. 22.—Senate unanimously protested Saturday against the high price of paper. The following resolution, prepared by Missouri publishers, was offered by Senator Cook of Jefferson City and adopted without debate:

Whereas, it is rumored and commonly believed among the newspaper publishers of this state that an unlawful combination or understanding exists between certain jobbers doing business in Missouri to extort an unreasonable and unwarranted price for all classes of paper and paper supplies, including materials of that class, bought and used by the state, therefore, be it

Resolved, It is the sentiment of this body that no board or head of a state department in Missouri should enter into a contract with any Missouri jobbing house for paper supplies until reasonable proof has been furnished him to the effect that such jobbing houses are selling their material at fair prices and without any understanding as to charges to publishers of the state.

Guest of Miss Corcoran.

Miss Monica Corcoran of St. Joseph, was the guest of her sister, Miss Frances Corcoran, who attends the Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Harrison and little daughter, Dannie of McFall, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dalrymple and other relatives at Pickering.

Misses Pearl and Jane Eaggers of Creighton are visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Workman and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ashford, northeast of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carmichael and son Donald, of Pickering, were the Sunday guests of Mr. Carmichael's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Buzzard of Hopkins.

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Murphy Clothing Co.

Mrs. Amon Curfman of Tarkio, who was the week-end guest of Mrs. Anna Todd, and family, returned to her home today.

Mrs. Ford, Ill.

The condition of Mrs. B. G. Ford, who has been ill since Friday, remains about the same today.

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DEATH TOLL INCREASES.

Search of Wreckage Reveals Enormous Death List In Explosion.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Jan. 22.—Search continues in the wreckage of the blown-up ammunition plant in East London and increases the death list. It is estimated by the Mail and final death roll will be three hundred to four hundred.

Mrs. J. C. Lanning and son, Leslie, of Hopkins were in Maryville Saturday on business.

Returns From Boonville.

Sheriff John F. Dowden returned yesterday from Boonville, where he took Theodore Murray, twelve- year-old, to the reform school for an eight-year sentence.

Miss Kirkpatrick Here.

Miss Ethel Kirkpatrick of Richmond, Mo., was in Maryville yesterday visiting her brother, Z. R. Kirkpatrick, who has been ill at St. Francis hospital for several weeks. Mr. Kirkpatrick is very much improved and will be able to go to his home in Richmond this week.

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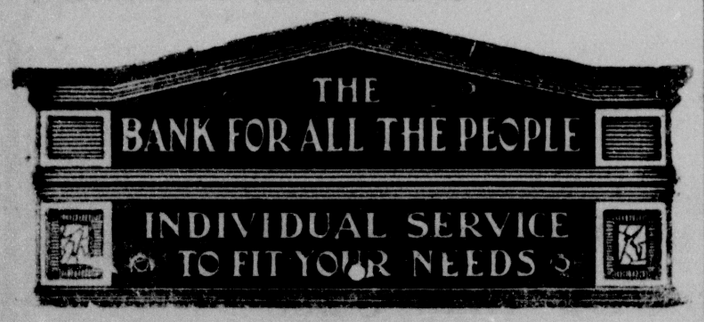

Healthy Conditions

I would rather be a little fellow climbing up, than a big fellow slipping back.

The fellow who is slipping has nothing to look forward to, whereas, the little fellow who is climbing higher up, sees daily encouragement and progress.

So don't be discouraged, if you are just making the start.

This bank takes pride in its large number of customers, who are young people or beginners.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
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INDIAN SHOOTS HIS LAST ARROW

Ceremony Marks Bestowal of Citizenship Upon Red Man.

WINS PRESIDENT'S FAVOR

Given a Plow as Symbol of Industry, and Purse Native Gets Stands For Thrift—With Shooting of Last Arrow He Puts Indian Life Behind Him. Wife Gets a Workbag.

One of the deepest rooted and oldest instincts in the Indian, the love of symbolism, is being turned to account by the department of the interior in its effort to modernize the race. Fondness for ritual and ceremony, which has called forth comment from students of Indian life from the early pioneers on, is now being utilized by the officials of the department to facilitate the Indian's transition from the position of a ward under the paternalistic direction of the Indian bureau to that of an independent landowner and citizen of the United States. The use of a dignified ceremonial, according to the department officials, helps greatly to impress on the new citizen the responsibilities he has incurred. Secretary Lane's annual report describes the ceremony.

Must Earn the Honor.

The Indians who are to be honored with the confidence of the government are selected by a "competency commission," composed of three men, intimate through long experience with Indian standards, who go through a reservation from house to house, reporting on the progress of each family—the condition of the house and farm, the way the children are cared for and their general economic status. On the approval by the department of the recommendations of these commissions the Indians selected are invited to a public meeting to receive in due form the patents in fee to their lands.

There a representative of the department of the interior tells them very solemnly that the president has heard that they are ready to leave the control of the Indian bureau and become free American citizens. "It is his decision that this shall be done," the official says, "and that those so honored by the people of the United States shall have the meaning of this new and great privilege pointed out by symbol and by word, so that no man shall not know its meaning." He then calls the English name of the first man on his list—James Robinson, it may be, whose Indian name, perhaps, was Rain-in-the-Face.

"James Robinson," the official says, "what was your Indian name?"

When the Indian replies the official hands him a bow and arrow, telling him to shoot the arrow. The Indian complies.

Puts Indian Life Behind.

As the arrow strikes the ground the representative of the government says: "Rain-in-the-Face, you have shot your last arrow. That means that you are no longer to live the life of an Indian. You are from this day forward to live the life of the white man. But you may keep that arrow. It will be to you a symbol of your noble race and of the pride you feel that you come from the first of all Americans.

"James Robinson, take in your hand this plow." As the Indian takes hold of the handles of the plow the official continues: "This act means that you have chosen to live the life of the white man, and the white man lives by work. From the earth we all must get our living, and the earth will not yield unless man pours upon it the sweat of his brow. Only by work do we gain a right to the land or to the enjoyment of life."

The department representative then hands him a purse, which he tells the prospective citizen symbolizes the need for saving, and finally an American flag, which he is told to take and hold while repeating this pledge:

"Forasmuch as the president has said that I am worthy to be a citizen of the United States, I now promise to this flag that I will give my hands, my head and my heart to the doing of all that will make me a true American citizen."

The official then pins on the man's breast an eagle, the emblem of citizenship, and the audience rises and shouts, "James Robinson is an American citizen!"

For women a similar ceremony is held, except that the bow and arrow are omitted and a workbag and purse are substituted for the plow. The general effect of the ceremonial has proved most happy, and the honor of participating in it has served as a stimulus to many of the Indians to work harder for the privileges of citizenship.

SEVENTEEN YEAR LOCUSTS DUE HERE NEXT SUMMER.

The seventeen year locust is due to appear again next summer, according to C. H. Hadley, Jr., an entomologist of the Pennsylvania State college. He called attention to the fact that the last outbreak of this insect occurred in 1900.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes —Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, you will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.— WHEAT — May, $1.82⅞; July, $1.49⅝.

CORN—May, 98⅝c; July, 97¼c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 14,000; steers, $8.00 @ $11.50; cows, $5.10 @ $5.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; market 5c lower; top, $11.05; bulk, $10.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; market 15c lower to weak.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 22,000; market 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 77,000; market big 5c lower; top, $11.15.

SHEEP—Receipts 23,000; market 15c lower to weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,800; market 5c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; market big 5c lower; top, $11.05.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,500; market 15c lower to weak.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce Co.

Butter fat, per lb	35c
Eggs, per doz	32c
Hides, per lb	15c
Springs, per lb	14c
Hens, per lb	16c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	11c

Young Roosters according to value.

KODAK developing and printing at Crane's. tf

RUN DOWN

If you are run down, can't eat, no appetite, you need

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TONIC DIGESTIVE

It improves the appetitie ,is an aid to weak stomachs, and tones up the entire system. Sold only by us, $1.00.

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Paints and Painting. Take advantage of the low prices now.

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Phone 414

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Four to eight years old —any size. Phone me, I will come and see them and buy or invoice them.

Jim Andy Ford

Farmers 161 Hanamo 31

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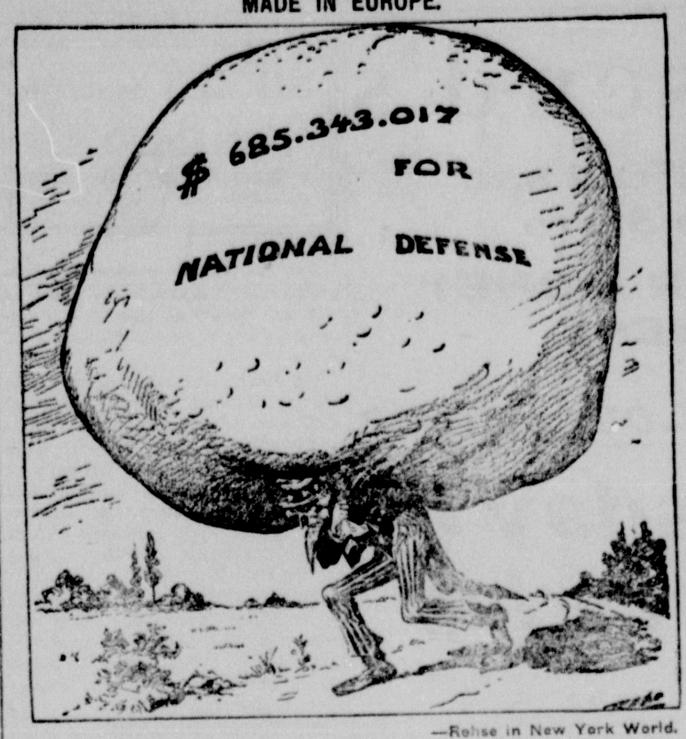

—Reprise in New York World.

Miss Irene Aley returned yesterday from Burlington Junction, where she has been visiting for the past week.

Miss Anna Freytag of Graham was visiting in Maryville yesterday with friends.

Miss Mamie Johnson and Miss Dollie Todd went to Fillmore yesterday to visit over Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sherlock and son, Paul, of St. Joseph, are in Maryville, visiting relatives.

War Prices

Are not So Bad

CASH ONLY

Janesville Gang 12-inch	$55.00
Janesville Sulky 16-inch	$40.00
Janesville Walkers 14-inch	$15.00
Janesville Walkers 16-inch	$17.00
Janesville Disc 16x16	$32.50
Janesville Planters, high wheel	$42.50
New Century Cultivator, 4-shovel	$28.00
New Century Cultivator 6-shovel	$30.00

ALL GOODS, delivered anywhere in the State of Missouri.

N. B.—Remember, we are the best repair concern in the West. Tell us what you want, and if we can't get it, we can tell you who can.

RED SEAL TELEPHONE BATTERIES, 2 for 55c

"Of Course"

Holt for High Prices

MARYVILLE, MO., U. S. A.

A Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at farm, 3 miles northeast of Graham and 6 miles southeast of Skidmore

Thursday, January 25, 1917

beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

9 HEAD HORSES—One brown mare 6 years old; 1 horse 7 years old, broke to all harness; 1 horse 9 years old, broke to all harness; 1 4-year-old mare, weight 1350 pounds; 1 coming 3-year-old gelding, weight 1400 lbs; 1 coming 3-year-old mare, weight 1400 lbs; 2 coming 2-year-yld draft fillies; 1 coming 2-year-old coach filley.

67 HEAD CATTLE—67 high grade and pure bred Short Horn crttle—1 registered yearling Shorthorn bull; 9 coming 2-year old heifers; 29 cows; 18 coming yearling steers; 13 coming heifers.

14 HEAD HOGS—One big type yearling Poland-China boar; 13 extra good brood sows, 2 years old, will farrow in March.

CORN AND HAY.

IMPLEMENTS—Two wagons, carriage, buggy, mower, rake, lister, drill harrow, disc harrow, 1 cable stacker, 1 breaking plow, lawn mower, one 1-horse wheat drill, harness, feed grinder, 2 cultivators, garden plow, hay frame, etc.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND KITCHEN FURNITURE—Heating stove, cook stove, chairs, tables, dresser, 2 sewing machines, washing mashine, bedsteads and other articles not mentioned.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under cash, sums over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. Terms of sale must be complied with before property is removed from the premises. LUNCH on ground will be served by ladies of the Baptist church.

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

Miscellaneous.

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., south side square. Hanamo 276.

IF you want to sell LIST NOW. If you want to buy, BUY NOW and get first choice. Land is changing hands. H. M. Lincoln, Pickering. 20-23

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

Lost.

LOST—Snap pocket book containing $5. bill, two or three silver dollars. Notify Democrat-Forum. 20-23

LOST—charm from watch fob, initials R. R. Leave here or return to Ralph Riley. Reward. 22-24

LOST—Brown fur automobile glove northwest Maryville. Return this office. 22-24*

For Sale.

NATIVE LUMBER FOR SALE—About 20,000 feet or more on the James Robinson farm on Platte river about half way between Conception Junction and Ravenwood. Am prepared to fill bills of most any kind, either for barn frames, house frames, blacksmith's wagon tongues, axles, etc. Call at mill or phone J. E. Wyatt, Arkoe. 22tf.

FOR SALE—200 loads of dirt. Lincoln Bent, Hanamo phone 238. 19-22

FOR SALE—New Overland roadster, model 75B. Call Democrat-Forum office. 19-22

FOR SALE—A few S. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels. Phone 21-20. Mrs. P. Damgar, Maryville, Mo. 20-23*

FOR SALE—30 head black high-grade spring heifers. Call Farmers 232, Hanamo 186. 20-23*

FOR SALE—Two desirable residence lots, close in, 1½ blocks east of square on East Third street. Elmer Fraser. 5tf

Joe Weaver farm for sale, across road from school and church, 160 acres. If not sold February 1, it is for rent. See H. M. Lincoln, Pickering. 20-23

FOR SALE—The Johnson residence, eight rooms, lights, bath, water, two lots, fruit and barn. Second place west Central school, Maryville, Mo. Address Walter E. Johnson, Pickering, Mo., 13tf.

Wanted.

WANTED—Work on farm by month or year. Married man and good worker. Call C. H. Hummon, 1215 E. Fourth St. 22-24*

WANTED—Second-hand cook stove. Call Hanamo phone 6719. 22-24*

WANTED—To buy young beef type calf. Call Farmers 412. 20-23*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—To buy, borrow or steal a typewriter desk. Call Hanamo 60 or Farmers 14. 19-22*

For Rent.

FOR RENT — Seven-room house. Close in. J. A. Ford. 20tf

FOR RENT—Room for light housekeeping, close in. 202 East First street. 20-23*

FOR RENT—6-room house adjoining Normal, ready any time. J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 4-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms, may have use of piano. Inquire 109 South Buchanan street. 19-22

FOR RENT—Large modern rooms furnished for or without light housekeeping, close to high school. Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, Han. 362F. 3tf

Attended K. C. Initiation.

C. W. Yehle, J. E. Costello and Anselm Schumacher attended the Knights of Columbus initiation in St. Joseph yesterday.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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HAWAIIAN HOLIDAYS

MISS SISSON DESCRIBES CHRISTMAS DAY AT HONOLULU.

TELLS OF A CLOUD BURST

Recounts Experiences While Out in Worst Storm of Years — Attends A Tea Party.

(Miss Donna Sisson)

It's the rainiest, darkest day you ever saw; it looks and sounds like a November downpour in the States, but the windows are all open and the flowers a-blooming outside.

I think I shall begin a week before Christmas with Founders' Day. The school had been practicing for weeks for this. At 10 o'clock Tuesday morning we, all three schools, embarked on special cars and headed for the Royal Mausoleum, the Royal Hawaiian band in a car ahead tooting away.

At the Cemetery.

Once at the cemetery, the children formed in line and marched in to the strains of some Hawaiian air. They grouped themselves around the royal tomb, sang some lovely native songs in a most affecting way. The Hawaiians are very impressionable, emotional; if their interest is at all aroused they feel a thing deeply, but it doesn't last long. But this really was a beautiful service—the music is so hauntingly mournful.

The rest of the week was more or less confused, getting ready for the holidays. We had the tree Saturday night — a real fir tree all strung with lights and tinsel. The girls grouped themselves on the broad stairs back of the tree and sang lovely carols and Christmas songs. Then the presents were distributed, and they went to the gym., where dancing held sway until 10:30 o'clock, a most unholy hour here.

The Afternoon Entertainment.

On Sunday we had our real dinner. That afternoon we went into a vesper service where a Christmas cantata was given most delightfully. In the evening Honolulu had its first municipal Christmas tree. Such a home-sick, forlorn little tree it was, all decked in bells and lights and floating streamers. The Kamehameha boys sang the carols and everyone seemed to enjoy it very much. It was certainly a cosmopolitan crowd that listened; naval officers in crisp white; Jap. women in bright kimonos, children in still brighter ones strapped to their backs; beautifully gowned women and girls in white dresses and gay sport coats; Khaki uniforms; "jackies" in white and blue; Chinese women, trousered, sleek-haired, slant-eyed; ragged little street gamins; tourists with kodaks and fur-trimmed coats; imposing looking officials in white ducks; natives in holokers and leis; a big crowd, but quiet and orderly and certainly varied enough. We wanted to stay in for the midnight mass, but no cars run out our way so late and taxis are too expensive.

Christmas Morning.

On Christmas morning we were awakened early by the sound of ukeleles and voices singing, the manual boys were serenading. After they had been suitably rewarded there was breakfast, with joke-gifts from the various teachers. The girls, such as had families or relatives in town, went out as soon as their work was done; so now only about half the school is here. The teachers are taking turn about running things. My turn comes New Years day, and then vacation ends. We could use two weeks more very nicely. The weather Christmas day and the day after was marvelous, clear, fresh after heavy rains.

I went to church Christmas morning,it looked so pretty, huge poinsettias crimson against the creamy stone interior, blue sky and waving branches looking in at the open window; and went immediately from there to the beach. We had a wonderful lunch, cold turkey, lettuce sandwiches, hot tea, the most delectable fruit salad, fruit cake, and ice cream, not to mention fresh pecans from Texas and luscious fudge. We basked in the sun and gambolled in the blue surf all afternoon, just as loads of tourists there did; you could fancy them in their rooms that night writing: "How strange it seems to be surf-bathing on Christmas day while you all were snow-balling, no doubt." It was fine.

Enjoys Game of Golf.

The next day I did a desperate thing. I went golfing. That's a sport I haven't indulged in since University days, but, contrary to my habit then, I didn't lose my ball. The links aren't very far from here in a lovely valley. When you've crossed and recrossed and have finally worked up to the fifth hole you get a splendid view of the sea, and of course always the mountains, blue and shadowy, are there. It was a glorious day to be tramping about. O, I love the place when I can get out and about!

A Regular Cloud Burst.

Yesterday Hope Lytle and I tried desperately to get in for a swim. We took our lunch down to the Outrigger left our raincoats and umbrellas there while we went back for a book. And while we were in the library, out of a perfectly clear sky there came a regular cloud-burst, the worst rain they've had for years. The library was already to close, but we had to stay. An hour we waited the storm hadn't let up much, there was no telephone, so there was nothing for it but to try to get back to her room. Well, we did. We waded streams six inches deep. We splashed and we stumbled. When we finally landed, I was soaked and Hope is sizes smaller than I am! And our lunch still at the beach!

I managed to squeeze into a very short skirt and a middy of Hope's and her rubbers, and the boarding department let us have some warmed-over lunch. And then the weather cleared!

She Had Read the Book.

Leaving my shoes by the kitchen stove and taking the serge skirt from me, leaving me in a still shorter kimono, Hope sallied forth after my raincoat. In an hour she was back, everything safe and settled back for a quiet afternoon with one hard-earned story. As I finished the first sentence, Hope set up with a startled expression, "I've read that;" she said; so we'd forfeited the day and the starch in our clothes for a book she'd already read.

We finally found something else and whiled away the time 'til a little after 4 o'clock. We were invited for tea for 4:30 o'clock, so we began to brush up. Then someone called from below, "Weren't you people coming to my party? I'm already and waiting."

"We're coming when you told us to—at 4:30," hurled back Hope.

"Four thirty!—it's nearly five now!" said our prospective hostess. Our clock was slow! Well, we went—I still in that painfully short kimono.

A Nice Tea Party.

It was a nice party—the room, appointments and the hostess were charming. At length we tore ourselves away. My clothes were sufficiently dry to put on again; so I started to walk to the transfer junction. I walked and walked—only to discover after going blocks that I'd headed the wrong way. And when I finally got home there wasn't any mail for me. So ended an eventful day.

I am sending you an old catalogue of the schools (they don't seem to have any new ones) and a map of the city, showing you just where we are located. Also Oahu College where Hope is.

A CONSERVATORY PROGRAM

Bi-Weekly Recital Will Be Held At Hall at 7:30 O'clock This Evening.

The following program will be given by pupils of the Conservatory of Music at the Recital Hall at 7:30 tonight.

Water Sprites' Boat Song (Neidlinger), Eva Margaret Frank.

Slumber Song, (Orth), Audrey Stiwalt.

Barcarolle from "Tales of Hoffman" (Offenbach), Ned Colbert.

Mazurka (Heins), Laveta Epperson.

Capricante (Wachs), Helen Dean.

Crescendo (Lasson), Mary Wooldridge.

Vocal duet, "Love Faileth Never," (Krohn), Mrs. C. A. Bone and Miss Dona Peter.

Caprice (Greig), Evadne Batt.

Love Song (Steinfeldt), Eva Bohannan.

Song Without Words (Holzel), Amy Ebersole.

In Autumn (MacDowell).

From An Indian Lodge(MacDowell), Cleo Kime.

URGE QUICK INVESTIGATION.

Both Democrats and Republicans Want the "Leak" Cleared up.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Both Democrats and Republicans are urging all possible speed in finishing the "leak" investigation and pressure will be brought to bear on House Rules committee when it meets in New York tomorrow to lose no time in getting to the bottom of the disclosures.

A 50-DEGREE DROP

THERMOMETER FALLS TO 5 DEGREES BELOW IN 18 HOURS.

BAROMETER IS LOW, TOO

Koch Pharmacy Instrument Registers 28.90, Lowest Recorded—Sun Dogs Makes Appearance.

A 50-degree drop in temperature in about eighteen hours is the latest freak in Maryville weather. Yesterday at noon the thermometer registered 45 degrees. This morning the temperature was 5 below zero. Such a change in temperature has not been experienced in Maryville for some time.

The official thermometer registered only five degrees below zero this morning and the presence of the sun dogs on either side of the sun registered the fact that the atmosphere was laden with ice crystals.

The sun dogs or parhelia, as they are scientifically named, are two great spots of light which are produced by ice crystals in the air. The sun shining upon these crystals causes the spots to contain all the colors of the rainbow. In cold snowy climates sun dogs are common features of the landscape, both at the rising and at the setting of the sun.

A phenomena, similar to that of the sun dogs is seen in Egypt, where the cause is attributed to the presence of sand in the atmosphere.

The barometer at the Koch Pharmacy registered the highest and lowest pressure ever recorded in one week. January 16 the highest pressure, 30.40, which has never been recorded in January, was registered. Yesterday the pressure was 28.90 which is the lowest which Mr. Koch has on record. At New Orleans during the storm of October 2, 1915, the barometric pressure was 28.11, which was the third lowest in the history of the world. In 1885 during a great storm 27.15 was recorded at Bengal, India and in 1899 a pressure of 28.80 was recorded in Royal, Porto Rico.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Five Northern states, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota and part of Iowa today in grip of worst blizzard in twenty years. Heavy snow and high winds caused great damage in many cities.

CHRISTIAN REVIVAL ENDS

Fifteen or Sixteen Members Added to the Church During Doctor Richardson's Services.

The revival at the Christian Church, which has been under the direction of Dr. W. F. Richardson of Kansas City, closed last night. During the three weeks when Doctor Richardson preached, fifteen or sixteen additions were made to the church, although the purpose of the revival was not so much to gain new members as to strengthen those already in the church.

Doctor Richardson left last night for Kansas City where he will remain for some time before taking his trip west.

INCREASE FIRE PREVENTION

Civic Committee of Commercial Club Will Co-operate With Water and Fire Depts. in Measures.

The Civic Committee of the Commercial Club, of which George Robb Ellison is chairman, will co-operate with the members of the fire and watr departments to increase the means of fire prevention, according to a decision reached at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors today.

The Board of Directors endorsed the third class city manager bill now pending before the state legislature, and also endorsed a bill which provides that public service corporations or corporations may hold more than 10 per cent of stock in other public service corporations. They also ordered E. M. Claypool to take a membership in the national Chamber of Commerce of the United States which has its headquarters in Washington.

Revival at Skidmore.

Revival meetings are in progress at the Christian Church in Skidmore and fifteen conversions resulted from the services yesterday. There were ten conversions Saturday. Elder Funderburk is conducting the meetings and Miss Callahan is the singer. The meetings will continue the coming week.

SOLDIERS COMING

FOURTH MISSOURI REGIMENT TO BE MUSTERED OUT.

25,243 TO BE RELEASED

Commercial Club On Learning Exact Date of Arrival Will Probably Prepare "Home-Coming."

The Fourth Regiment will be sent home as soon as transportation facilities can be provided. The exact time of the return is not known as the mustering out will depend solely upon the quickness with which the troops can be removed from the border.

The regiment will be released together with more than 25,000 national guardsmen, now on the Mexican border. Their departure will leave between 45,000 and 50,000 men still doing guard duty.

The department's statement said.

"Gen. Funston has selected these organizations chiefly in accordance with the rule of returning first troops longest in service on the border. To some extent, however, this rule could not be followed without unequal weakening of the border guard and the departures from it are so explained. The total strength of the organization selected is 25,243."

The guardsmen designated for return and muster out include:

Arkansas—First infantry.

Iowa—First squadron cavalry, field hospital No. 1, ambulance company No. 1, brigade headquarters, Third infantry.

Missouri—Fourth infantry.

Nebraska—Field hospital No. 1, company A, signal corps, Fifth infantry.

Oklahoma—First infantry, troops A and B cavalry, field hospital company, company A engineers.

The Maryville men belonging to the Fourth Regiment Infantry and who will return are: Henry M. Dressler, John La Velle, James R. McMahon, Sam Mitchell, Carl Tarpley, E. L. Howard, Henry Reynolds, T. B. Maulding, Harold Maulding, Ezra Phipps, Frank Schumacher, Herman King, Mel Atherton, Bert Woodard, Robert Bramble, Earl Bricker, Ercille Kinman, William Grammar, Orville Vert and Frank Spargur.

George Crowson, Charles Casey and Oliver Bovard were sent back from Nevada shortly after the troops were ordered to the border in June. Marion Minter, Claud Wilson, Thomas McMullen and I. B. Williams were permitted to return from Laredo at different intervals. Frank Schumacher, Ezra Phipps and Charles Still have had furloughs.

As soon as the date of the return of the regiment has been positively learned, it is probable that the Commercial Club will take action and prepare some sort of a home-coming in honor of the returning soldier boys.

ARE NO LONGER PARTNERS

Firm of Frost & Speirs Dissolves Business Relations — Mr. Frost Will Conduct Own Produce House.

The produce firm of Frost & Speirs has dissolved partnership and J. A. Speirs will continue the business at the present location, 118 East Fifth street. Mr. Speirs will fit up his plant with all new and up-to-date equipment.

The other member of the old firm, Byron Frost, will open a produce house in the building formerly occupied by the Reimer meat market.

2 COUSINS DIE SAME DAY

John B. Cox Receives Word of Death of Alfred and Henry Bridgeford, Formerly of Maryville.

John B. Cox received word of the deaths of his cousins, Henry Bridgeford at Kansas City and of Albert Bridgford at Denver, Colo. Both deaths took place on the same day, January 17. A telegram announcing the death of Albert Bridgebford was sent to his brother, Henry Bridgeford, at Kansas City and when an attempt was made to deliver the message, he was found dead. The Bridgeford's were formerly residents of Maryville about thirty-two years ago.

Frank Armstrong Here.

Frank W. Armstrong of Trimble, Mo., arrived in Maryville this morning, called here by the serious illness of his father, J. J. Armstrong, who is 85 years old. Mr. Armstrong has pneumonia.

GO IN, YOUNG MAN.

—Harding in Brooklyn Eagle.

TRIAL DATE IS SET

MRS. CLEMMA GILMORE TO BE TRIED FEBRUARY 9.

PETIT JURY TOMORROW

First Case For Trial Is That of George Craig, Charged With Local Option Law Violation.

Mrs. Clemma Gilmore, charged with killing Mrs. Ella Shipps, was arraigned before the circuit court this morning and the date of her trial which will start February 9, was set.

Jim Young, who was indicted by the grand jury on two charges, shooting on the public highway and carrying concealed weapons, appeared in court this morning and pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at $300 in each case.

George Williams on a charge of gaming pleaded guilty and was fined $25.

A case to construe a will was taken up by Judge Dawson this afternoon. The case was filed by Benjamin F. Tarpley, Julia A. Tarpley, Flora B. Nunnelley, John B. Nunnelley, Martha E. Tarpley, Maud M. Tarpley, Margaret A. Tarpley, Albert A. Tarpley, Ethelyn C. Tarpley, Ivy D. Tarpley, Margaret A. Tarpley vs. Mary and Thomas S. McDonald. The court decided for the plaintiffs as per decree on file.

Judge V. L. Drain of Shelbyville, Mo., will arrive in Maryville tonight and will hold court for Judge Dawson who is disqualified from sitting in several cases, having formerly been counsel in these cases.

The petit jury is called for tomorrow and the first case to come up will be that of George Craig, charged with violation of the local option law.

TWO MORE SUBMARINES COMING.

Passengers From Germany, Say That 2 Will Start Maiden Voyage.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Jan. 22.—Passengers arriving here from Germany on the Norwegian steamer, Bergensfjord, declared today two new merchant submarines will start their maiden trip Wednesday.

A GERMAN RAIDER SUNK?

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pernambuco, Jan. 22.—Rumors that the German raider was sunk by a British cruiser, Glasgow, still afloat. No confirmation however.

Take 1,500-Mile Ride.

F. B. Goodspeed & Son sent two Chester White pigs on a 1,500-mile ride to James Sage, of St. Cloud, Fla. Mr. Sage is a former resident of Maryville.

PLANS ARE FRUSTRATED

Attempts of Russo-Rumanians to Penetrate German Positions Repulsed—Other War News.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Jan. 22.—Attempts of the Russian-Roumanians to penetrate the Teutonic positions on the Putna river west of Panciu, were repulsed, the war office announced. There is heavy cannonading on both sides of Citoz Valley in Moldavia. In Eastern Carpathia engagements at several points near Lens were recorded. The Russian raiding attacks active last night, west of Frederickstadt, but they were all repulsed. Only isolated clashes have taken place between raiding detachments in Macedonia.

Paris, Jan. 22.—Germans delivered two attacks against the French north of Caurieres on the Verdun front last night, but were repulsed with heavy losses to the patrol. There were several engagements in Alsace.

A. B. JUSTUS DIES.

Long Illness Fatal to Aged Man — Leaves Wife and 10 Children.

A. B. Justus, 70 years old, died at 2 o'clock Sunday morning at his home on East Thompson street following a long illness. Mr. Justus is survived by his wife and ten children, six of which are at home. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Aid in Degree Work.

Dr. Karl Malotte, Chester Bennett, Virgil Guthrie, Frank Orcutt, Noah Sipes, W. C. Pearson and Jacob Moore went to Guilford Saturday evening in Mr. Pearson's car to aid the Guilford members of the I. O. O. F. in giving the initiatory degrees. Those initiated into the Guilford lodge were: Rev. O. E. Lockhart, Charles Wilson and Mr. Griggs. Lunch was served after the degree work was given.

Mrs. Mike Sturm Injured.

Mrs. Mike Sturm, living south of Maryville, fell Saturday at her home. She struck her head on the cement walk and cut a gash in her head about three inches long. Mrs. Sturm was unconscious about three and one-half hours, but is reported as improved today.

Mrs. Toel to Hopkins.

Mrs. Court Toel of Little Rock, Ark., who is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel, went to Hopkins this morning to visit for a few days.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Saturday to William Lee of St. Joseph and Miss Goldie Timmons of Burlington Junction.

Ira Richardson went to St. Joseph this morning on business.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS

PRESIDENT ASKS U. S. TO AID IN PEACE MEASURES.

ASKS PREVENTIVE MEANS

Wilson Outlines What in His Opinion Is Necessary to End the Struggle, and Make Peace Certain.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—An appeal that the United States outline principles for the league of nations to make future wars impossible was made by President Wilson unexpectedly today in his second step in an effort to end the war. In an address to the senate which shared with him the power to handle the foreign affairs of the nation, the president outlined what in his opinion is necessary to end the struggle and make certain that it be the last great conflict.

President Wilson declared he proposed "the Monroe doctrine for all peoples of the world," and said he proposed that no nation should seek to extend its policy over any other nation so that every people will be left free to determine its own policy. He insisted that the war must be ended on treaties which will embody terms to win the approval of mankind.

EXPLOSION AT DUBUQUE.

City Panic Stricken at Terrific Jar, Location of Which is not Learned.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Dubuque, Iowa, Jan. 22.—All of Dubuque and East Dubuque was shaken by a terrific explosion, the location of which was not yet learned, this morning. The entire city was jarred and thousands ran panic stricken from homes. No report of the injury.

NEW COMMERCE RECORD.

U. S. Department Makes Public 1916 Business Records.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Overwhelming figures on the commerce of the United States in 1916 fairly bristling with new records were made public today by the department of commerce. The total foreign business was $7,873,000,000, the largest in the history.

BLUE LAWS CONSTITUTIONAL.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Blue sky laws held constitutional in Michigan, Ohio, South Dakota by the supreme court.

DREDGE BOAT AT A STANDSTILL.

Frozen Ground Makes Work of Excavating Exceedingly Difficult.

The dredge boat, which was to have completed the excavation of the new channel of the 102 river from the state line to the Carr bridge, about January 1, is making slow progress on account of the cold weather. The ground is frozen for a distance of two feet, and this makes the work of excavating exceedingly difficult. No definite time can be set for the completion of the task.

MRS. FORBES MINARD DIES.

Parnell Woman Succumbs to Illness Caused by Leg Amputation.

Mrs. Forbes Minard, 60 years old, died at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at a hospital in St. Joseph. Her leg was amputated for a cancerous growth, about two weeks ago. The body was taken to Parnell today. Mrs. Minard is survived by a husband and two children. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Fire at Parnell.

A dwelling house, four miles west of Parnell, belonging to Andy Spire was burned to the ground yesterday. The house was leased to William Offert. Mr. Offert saved the furniture downstairs, but all the rest was burned.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight; continued cold east, rising temperature west portion late tonight. Tuesday unsettled with rising temperature, probably snow west portion.

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900 BILLS BEFORE HOUSE

Legislators Have Prepared Enormous Number of Measures — Very Few Will Pass This Term.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Jan. 22.—There are about 900 bills before the General Assembly and several hundred more will be introduced this week. The senate has about double the number of bills before it now than it had at any previous session. All these bills are printed once, and those that are engrossed will be printed a second time, and reprinted if amendments are adopted.

There doubtless will be more than 1500 bills before the General Assembly.

Out of all this mass of legislation it is deemed unlikely that more than 12 or 15 bills of general importance, outside of the appropriations bills, will pass.

"Sunny" Vance Arrested.

William "Sunny" Vance, a colored boy, was arrested today on a charge of disturbing the peace of his wife. Vance pleaded not guilty and his case was set for trial for next Monday.

To Attend a Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahoney left this morning for St. Joseph, where they will attend the funeral of a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKee of Barnard were in Maryville on business Saturday.

KODAK developing and printing at Crane's. tf

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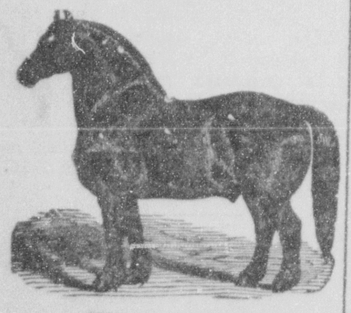

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5 and 10c — **Thursday, January 25** — 5 and 10c

"THE LIE SUBLIME" a two act BIG U Drama featuring KING BAGGOT.
"BEHIND THE SCENES IN JAPAN" one act.
"THE HALTING HAND" one act drama, also one act L-KO Komedy

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10c to all — **Friday, January 25** — 10c to all!

"LIBERTY" The 6th Episode of that thrilling serial in 2 acts
"GUILTY" a two part under world drama of tense dramatic situation featuring Harry Carey
"A CAPABLE LADY COOK" one act scream—Nestor Komedy.

10c to all — 10c to all

5 and 10c — **Saturday, January 27.** — 5 and 10c

Matinee 3 p. m.—Night 7:45

"FOR LOVE AND GOLD" two part Western Dram
"HER VANISHED YOUTH" one act Drama
"A SHADOWED SHADOW" Joker comedy in 1 act with Gale Henry and William Franey—a scream.
Also One Act L-KO Komedy

5 and 10c — 5 and 10c

Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed in the recorder's office in Nodaway county, beginning January 13, 1917.

Thomas N. Kelley to Roy D. Kelley, NE, NW, 18, 65, 34, $4,000.

Clarence J. Hood to Isaac E. James, et. al., E½, NW, Fr ¾, 32, 67, 36, $2,000.

Arthur A. James to Isaac E. James, et. al., part E½, NW, Fr., 32, 67, 36, $2,100.

W. C. Pierce to Franklin Bonar, NE, SE, & N½, NW, SE, 3, 66, 35, $3,700.

Fred A. Breit to Bessie Carmichael, lot 47, Rose Hill Cemetery, $10.

Harry H. Mutz to Bernice F. Dowling, N¼, block 3, Saunders Add. Maryville, $4,500.

James E. Hamilton to Rosetta A. Schaffer, N½, SE, & SW, SE, 36, 67, 38, $1,500.

Stephen H. Kemp to William C. Baker, et. al., part lot 12, block 1, Robinson's Add. to Maryville, $800.

W. C. Pierce to Frank Andrews, SE, SE, 3, 66, 35, $3,100.

W. C. Pierce to Leonard Andrews, N½, NE, 3, 66, 35, $3,647.

Henry M. Lincoln to Charles R. Fakes, N½, NW, SE, and part lot 1, NE, 5, 65, 35, $4,000.

I. O. O. F. lodge, Quitman, to Eli W. Bailey, lot 1, block 26, Rebecca Cemetery, $15.

Jesse F. Patton to Joseph C. Manning, lot 7, block 1, 7 Add. Skidmore, $3,250.

Thomas L. Richey to George R. Massagree, lots 22, 23 and 24, Corn Belt Add. Conception Junction, $500.

James E. Hilton to Charles Hilton, SW, SW, 15, 64, 34, $3,000.

George W. Hempstead to Thomas J. Puckett, lot 4, block 6, Sex. Add. to Maryville, $3,000.

Jeremiah M. Smith et. al., to Robert K. Swaney, Est., lot 31, Oak Hill cemetery, $25.

Alfred C. Gann to Daniel E. McDonald and wife, part SE, SE, 7, 64, 35, $7,000.

E. R. Thompson to J. N. King, E½, SE, 16, 63, 34, $1.

Benjamin F. Litte, to Harl S. Holt and wife, SE, SE, 31, and SW, SW, 32, 62, 35, $8,000.

Matilda J. Fike, et. al., to William L. Moorehead and wife, part. SW, SE, 22, 66, 35, $50.

Miss Ethel Cockrell left Saturday for her home at Princeton, Mo., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. B. Schuler of Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

To Live in Chicago.

Ray Davis will leave this evening for Chicago, where he will become assistant secretary of the American Poland China Record association. Mrs. Davis and children will leave for Chicago the latter part of the week. Mr. Davis has been secretary of the Standard Poland-China Record association for the last two years.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Here From Des Moines.

Miss Golda Airy of Des Moines, Ia., arrived Saturday evening to visit her mother, Mrs. C. H. Airy, for a few days.

Asa Ramey of Arkoe who has been taking treatment at a sanitarium in Savannah returned to his home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Swinford of Pickering were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hood.

Ernest Swinford of Pickering visited over Sunday with friends in Maryville.

Salmon Skin Clothes.

The Eskimos of Alaska make waterproof boots and shirts of the skins of salmon.

The Vatican Library.

The library of the Vatican was begun 1,400 years ago. It contains 40,000 manuscripts.

Somebody Fooled School Board.

Lowell, Mass.—A woman without authority suspended afternoon sessions of the public schools of Lowell by telephoning the central fire station to sound the no school signal. When Superintendent Molloy heard the bells he telephoned the fire officials, who declared that the woman had said she was in the school superintendent's office.

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February Term, 1917.

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2. Andrews, George L. William C. Pierce, Admr.
3. Applegate, John H. Joseph H. Sayler, Admr.
4. Busby, Melvina John M. Busby, Admr.
5. Brown, Daniel Jonas F. and Charles W. Brown, Execs.
6. Bonar, Charles H. Franklin E. Bonar, Exec.
7. Bryant, James Harvey, Farmers Trust Co., Admr.
8. Bush, William William L. Bush and Byron C. Sowers, Admrs.
9. Beedle, Ida J. Howard J. Beedle, Exec.
10. Beahm, Cheslie and Marie John C. Lanning, Cur.
11. Barmann, Francis L. Frank Barmann, Cur.
12. Comegys, Samuel Margaret Comegys, Execx.
13. Carter, William J. L. D. Carter, Exec.
14. Curry, John M. Fay H. Casteel, Exec.
15. Cox, Luther C. Jacob W. Cox, Admr.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13th.

16. Castillo, Hugh N. Hugh R. Lamb, Gdn.
17. Combs, James P. Mary Combs, Execx.
18. Campbell, Ida Marie Warren J. Campbell, Cur.
19. Caldwell, Elizabeth M. and Clark H. Charles D. Caldwell, Cur.
20. Diss, John S. Catherine Diss, Exec.
21. Dobbins, George William Dobbins, Exec.
22. Dunlap, William S. James Blagg, Gdn.
23. Embree, Maud Jesse F. Robertson, Cur.
24. Fink, Andrew Andrew E. Fink, Exec.
25. Ford, Elizabeth Merle Stephen H. Kemp, Cur.
26. Farrens, William Guy C. Clary, Exec.
27. Griffey, Charles A. Myrtle M. Griffey, Admr.
28. Goforth, John C. William H. Goforth, Admr., C. T. A.
29. Giese, August C. Jesse F. Robertson, Admr., C. T. A.
30. Graves, Cleo B. Jefferson Graves, Cur.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14th.

31. Goodson, Virginia Bess M. Goodson, Cur.
32. Hill, William N. Rebecca J. Hill, Admx.
33. Holker, John Charley Holker, Exec.
34. Huddle, Urll Kenneth et. al Thomas A. Corken, Cur.
35. Hammond, Esther and Oralee Lewis H. Hammond, Cur.
36. Hildebrant, James E. and Mary B. Mary C. Hildebrant, Cur.
37. Hodges, Ezekiel W. Louis A. Morehouse, Exec.
38. Hays, Isabell U. H. W. Montgomery, Admr., C. T. A. D. B. N.
39. Harris, Nide May Harris, Execx.
40. Johnson, James M. Walter B. Johnson, Admr.
41. Jones, John W. James B. Robinson, Cur.
42. Johnson, Phoebe A. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
43. Kinman, John R. Eliza J. Kinman, Admx.
44. Leet, Sarah J. W. C. Pierce, Exec.
45. Landfather, Ava M. et. al. Luella Landfather, Cur.

Thursday, February 15.

46. Lake, Edwin B. Walter S. Lake, Gdn.
47. Laur, Elizabeth K. George A. Laur, Admr. C. T. A.
48. Lane, Elizabeth S. George W. Cole, Admr.
49. Linville, Lydia A. Lucinda E. Owens, Admx.
50. Luke, Hieronymus Elizabeth Luke, Execx.
51. Long, Leslie A. et. al. Almoreen Long, Cur.
52. Morris, Eliza John E. Donaldson, Admr.
53. Miller, Joseph E. Bertha M. Miller, Gdn.
54. Martin, Mary Joseph J. Enis, Gdn.
55. Miller, Andrew et. al. Anna E. Miller, Cur.
56. Miller, Bessie and Herman John F. Roelofson, Pub. Gdn.
57. Moffitt, Elwood John F. Roelofson, Pub. Gdn.
58. Moss, Calvin C. W. F. Mercer, Cur.
59. McCue, John Catherine McCue, Admx. C. T. A.
60. McMillion, Nancy J. Henry Weber, Exec.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16th.

61. Northover, Daniel A. Edward A. Northover and Edmond Mosby, Execs.
62. Parrish, Joseph V. Charles W. Barrett, Admr.
63. Price, Isaac John Price, Admr.
64. Pence, Laving John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
65. Pope, Haxel Grace, et. al. Thomas C. Pope, Gdn.
66. Rasco, James H. Ida B. Rasco, Admx.
67. Rodman, Samuel Minnie M. Rodman, Execx.
68. Roth, Hamilton William P. Lemon, Admr.
69. Rice, Joseph U. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
70. Ross, Levi T. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Admr.
71. Snyder, Abraham C. Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
72. Snyder and Markham, Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
73. Snyder and John Harmon Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
74. Snyder and Sam Harmon Pierce and Freytag, Admrs.
75. Stalling, Ernest H. and Paul Henry Stalling, Cur.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17th

76. Snodgrass, Isom C. Alice M. Snodgrass, Execx.
77. Sturgeon, Obediah James O. F. and Hebron Sturgeon, Execs.
78. Staples, Rodolph R., Sr. Hannah I. and Lester O. Staples, Execx. and Exec.
79. Steinhauser, Michael, et. al. William Steinhauser, Cur.
80. Selecman, Mary E. Lillie J. Selecman, Cur.
81. Sewell, Alice L. et. al. Claud A. Sewell, Cur.
82. Swain, Eveline B. Reuben Swain, Gdn.
83. Todd, Samuel S. Jesse F. Robertson, Admr., D. B. N. C. T. A.
84. Tebow, Isaac Chas. E. and Isaac E. Tebow, Execs.
85. Todd, Robert John E. Todd, Admr.
86. Thompson, Truman D. Montgomery E. Thompson, Cur.
87. Tunnison, Ella Mary F. Parcher, Gdn.
88. Van Briggle, Eliza E. Charles E. Stilwell, Admr.
89. Williams, Robert O. John F. Roelofson, Pub. Gdn.
90. Wilson, Walter J. and Arthur J. Stephen H. Kemp, Cur.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18th

91. Wilbur, Lydia A. Eugene Ogden, Gdn.
92. Wohlford, Emanuel Angeline Wohlford, Execx.
93. Wagner, Hubert Mary A. Wagner, Admx.
94. Whitney, Harry F. William B. Whitney, Admr.
95. Wallace, William S. Roy F. Hanna, Admr.
96. White, Julia A. George R. Hague, Admr.
97. Yiesley, David James B. Robinson, Gdn.

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Clerk of Probate.

Miss Mildred Smith of near Hopkins and Miss Gladys Culverson of Maryville were the week-end guests of Miss Venice Bratcher of Pickering.

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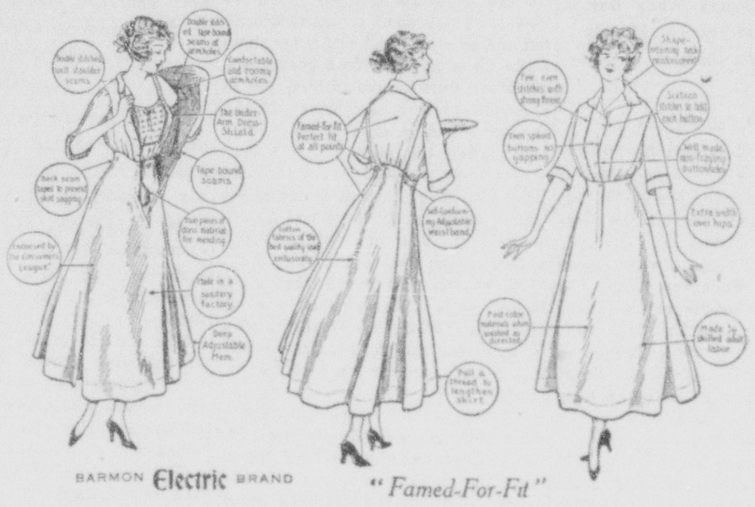

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Van Camp's finest Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans 25c

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Good Black Walnuts, peck 20c; bu. 75c

7 lbs Pearl Hominy 25c

5c per tin for Domestic Sardines in oil

10c Cartons Morton's free running Salt ..... 2 for 15c

35c cartons Swan's Down Cake Flour 28c

25c pkgs Kellogg's Cooked Bran ..... 2 for 45c

Self Rising Buckwheat, pkgs 10c

Quart cans Sweet Potatoes 10c

Chrushed Oyster Shell, 100-lb sacks 75c

50-lb sacks 45c

Country Butter, per lb 30c

Evaporated Loganberries, 2 pkgs 25c

5c pkg best Crackers ..... 4 for 15c

Nice Bulk Olives, pint 15c

Good Cotton Mitts or Gloves per pair 10c

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Notice To The Public

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To Begin Housekeeping.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White have engaged the cottage known as the Arthur Andrews property at 515 South Buchanan street, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis, and will begin housekeeping, February 1.

To Attend Stock Show.

Lawrence Ogden left last night for Denver, Colo., where he will attend the Mid-Winter Livestock Show which is being held there.

Eyes Tested Free

Can we Help Your Eyes?

We certainly can if they need Glasses.

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Calendar.

TUESDAY—The Shakespeare department of the Twentieth Century club will meet with Miss Mary Frances Ford at her home, 120 East First street.

The Mary Lawrence Mission Circle of the Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Ed. Egley at 7:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY—The Penelope Club will meet with Mrs. U. S. Wright.

THURSDAY — The officers and teachers of the Intermediate department of the First Methodist church will give a social Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY—The Ladies' Aid Society of the South Methodist Church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Farrar, on North Buchanan street, with Mrs. Farrar and Mrs. Seals as hostesses.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet with Mrs. S. H. Kemp on Lawn avenue.

SATURDAY — The Queen Esther Circle will meet with Miss Mildred Bellows at her home on South Fillmore street.

The P. E. O. will meet with Mrs. C. C. Corwin. The state organizer, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams will be present at the meeting.

Hartman's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman entertained at dinner yesterday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole and son, Wilson, and daughter, Dorothy.

Guests at Montgomery's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery entertained yesterday at dinner the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel and Mrs. Court Toel.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gordon were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner given yesterday at their home. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Carmichael and Miss Vesta Wright.

Whitehead's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitehead entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday at their home on South Fillmore street for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hilton and children Harold, Ralph, and Raymond, of Ravenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer, Misses Eva and Maud Whitehead.

Classy Classics Meet.

The Class Classics club met Thursday night at the home of Miss Bernice Brummett of Parnell. The club will take up the subject, "The Great Stone Face," for their next study. Those present at the club were, Bessie Stoner, Lena Foland, Mildred Hall, Lucile Collins, Quete Morgan, Helen Welch, Inez Surplus, Cecil Collins and Mrs. Mollie Klaas.

Honor Guests at Dinners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis, who are leaving soon to make their home in Chicago, were the honor guests at a dinner given yesterday noon by the Rev. and Mrs. Wiles. Yesterday evening they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McDonald at a six o'clock dinner and Saturday evening they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hull.

W. R. C.'s Surprised.

The members of the W. R. C. were surprised at the close of the regular meeting Saturday afternoon by an invitation to remain for a social hour. The retiring president, Mrs. Lena Ruddell, assisted by the new president, Mrs. Dora Holbrook, served refreshments of cake and coffee, which was enjoyed by all. A good crowd was present.

The Loyal Berean Class.

The Loyal Berean class of the Wilcox Christian Sunday School was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan by Jess Logan. After the business hour the class was dismissed for a social hour. Those present were Misses Bernice Duncan, Alena Holt, Edna Meyers, Gladys Thompson, Lydia Onstot, Marie and Mabel Lowe, Edna Garrett and Lucile Duncan; Messrs. Perry Onstot, Charles Kelly, Clint, Joe, Glen and Rolla Adams, Charles Walton, Emmett Lowe, Dale Hughes, Joe Holt, Hilard Thompson Fred Lekey, Tom Adams and Sorenus Jensen, Mrs. Onstot and Mr. and Mrs. George Meyers.

Mrs. Fred Buck, Hostess.

Mrs. Fred Buck entertained Thursday afternoon in honor of the members of the Rural Improvement Club. Fifteen members were present. The afternoon was spent in tacking a comforter which was pieced by the members some time ago. When the work was finished the business meeting was held, and then refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Claude Neville. Those present were: Mrs. Harry Lewis, Mrs. Lee Devore, Mrs. Joel Trullinger, Mrs. Earl Heflin, Mrs. Newt Moore, Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. M. S. Casteel, Mrs. J. G. Harbison, Mrs. Bert McKee, Mrs. Ben Allen, Mrs. Ben Cox, Mrs. C. R. Green, Mrs. Lloyd Casteel, Mrs. Blanche Moore and Lucy McElroy.

For Wedding Anniversaries.

An oyster supper was given in honor of the wedding anniversaries of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bloomfield and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kennedy at the Bloomfield home, near Parnell. The evening was spent in playing games. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Cornie Leech, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kennedy and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Susan Miller Surprised.

Mrs. Susan Miller of Skidmore, was pleasantly surprised Sunday, when friends and neighbors came in with well filled baskets to help her celebrate her fifty-second birthday anniversary. At the noon hour an elaborate dinner was spread, and the following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Guy McClain and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Horn and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Horn and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. McDaniel, John Gibbs and daughter, Alta, of Platte, Neb., Mrs. H. M. Hoagland and daughter, Miss Beulah, Mrs. Myrtle Long, Mrs. Nellie Ibes, Miss Mary Hughes, Miss Nancy Milton, Misses Tena and Jessie McClain and Ralston McClain.

For Husband's Birthday.

A surprise party was planned and successfully carried out Saturday night by Mrs. Charles Gallagher at their beautiful country home west of Maryville in honor of her husband's twenty-seventh birthday anniversary. During the evening "forty-two" was played, the prize going to Mrs. Emmett Scott. A dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Emmett Scott, Miss Ethel Ray and Miss Verna Thomas. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott and son, Paul Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Will Job, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zimmerman, Misses Ella and Veronica O'Grady, Miss Ola Zimmerman, Miss Verna Thomas, Miss Mamie McCrary, Miss Golda Adcock, Miss Ethel Ray; Messrs. Ross Scott, Howard Watson, Will O'Grady and Clyde Adcock.

Dance at K. C. Hall.

A number of young girls entertained with a dance followed by a luncheon at the Knights of Columbus hall, Friday night. The young people were chaperoned by Mrs. W. R. Tilson, Mrs. Frank Murray, and Mrs. Grace Fogan. Those present were: Misses Mamie Tilson, Bertha Fanning, Bess Knox, Marie Murray, Daisy Allen, Maybird Parrish, Hazel Pope, Agnes Bickett, Agnes Brewer, Myrtle Lanning, Ola Zimmerman, Gertrude Gilleland, Luta Moody; Ed. Kirch, Elmer Bagby, George Sillers, Jack Stearn of Clyde, Joe Archer and Cordon Vickery, of Conception, Clayton Woodward of Arkoe, N. C. Wagers, Mr. Hubbard, Leslie Woodward, Dick Levasy, Glenn Reece, Arthur, Charley and Arlie Robey, Ed. Hawkins, Harry Dempsey and Will O'Grady. Music was furnished by Miss Golda Pope.

Bloomdale W. W.'s Meet.

The Bloomdale W. W. Club had a very enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. Runnels on last Thursday afternoon. After the business session, Mrs. Walter Runnels was leader for the hour of entertainment. Each member recited a childhood poem or gave a musical selection which caused a great deal of merriment. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Edmund Harvey and Mrs. Walter Runnels in serving refreshments. All too soon came the hour for adjournment. The following members were present: Mrs. Edmund Harvey, Mrs. Hornbuckle, Mrs. Will Gorton, Mrs. George Wray, Mrs. Marion Gray, Mrs. Charles Birkenholz, Mrs. Chance Copeland, Mrs. Will Lett, Mrs. Abe Byerrum, Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mrs. Amanda Pistole, Mrs. Walter Runnels and children, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. Cris Moon, Mrs. John Stevens, and Mrs. Robert Aley.

The visitors were: Mrs. Carrie Hanna, Mrs. Bert Shannon, and Mrs. Albert Hinton. The club will meet with Mrs. Walter Runnels on February 1 for an all day session. A full attendance is desired.

Yeomans Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yeomans entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of the second birthday anniversary of their son, Walter Calvin Yeomans. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bowmer, Mrs. N. F. Humber, Mrs. S. G. Seleeman and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, and Mrs. S. J. Yeomans of Hopkins.

Adcocks Entertain.

Miss Golda Adcock and Clyde Adcock entertained the following at Sunday dinner: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tucker, Misses Edna and Myrtle Tucker and Everett Tucker, all of Ravenwood, and Coy Adcock.

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PROTESTS H. C. OF PAPER.

Senate Unanimously Against Exhorbitant Price of Print Paper—Resolution Adopted

Jefferson City, Jan. 22.—Senate unanimously protested Saturday against the high price of paper. The following resolution, prepared by Missouri publishers, was offered by Senator Cook of Jefferson City and adopted without debate:

Whereas, it is rumored and commonly believed among the newspaper publishers of this state that an unlawful combination or understanding exists between certain jobbers doing business in Missouri to extort an unreasonable and unwarranted price for all classes of paper and paper supplies, including materials of that class, bought and used by the state, therefore, be it

Resolved, It is the sentiment of this body that no board or head of a state department in Missouri should enter into a contract with any Missouri jobbing house for paper supplies until reasonable proof has been furnished him to the effect that such jobbing houses are selling their material at fair prices and without any understanding as to charges to publishers of the state.

Guest of Miss Corcoran.

Miss Monica Corcoran of St. Joseph, was the guest of her sister, Miss Frances Corcoran, who attends the Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Harrison and little daughter, Dannie of McFall, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dalrymple and other relatives at Pickering.

Misses Pearl and Jane Eaggers of Creighton are visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Workman and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ashford, northeast of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carmichael and son Donald, of Pickering, were the Sunday guests of Mr. Carmichael's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Buzzard of Hopkins.

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Murphy Clothing Co.

Mrs. Amon Curfman of Tarkio, who was the week-end guest of Mrs. Anna Todd, and family, returned to her home today.

Mrs. Ford, Ill.

The condition of Mrs. B. G. Ford, who has been ill since Friday, remains about the same today.

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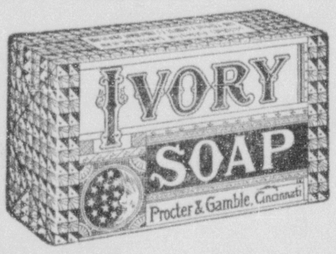

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INDIAN SHOOTS HIS LAST ARROW

Ceremony Marks Bestowal of Citizenship Upon Red Man.

WINS PRESIDENT'S FAVOR

Given a Plow as Symbol of Industry, and Purse Native Gets Stands For Thrift—With Shooting of Last Arrow He Puts Indian Life Behind Him. Wife Gets a Workbag.

One of the deepest rooted and oldest instincts in the Indian, the love of symbolism, is being turned to account by the department of the interior in its effort to modernize the race. Fondness for ritual and ceremony, which has called forth comment from students of Indian life from the early pioneers on, is now being utilized by the officials of the department to facilitate the Indian's transition from the position of a ward under the paternalistic direction of the Indian bureau to that of an independent landowner and citizen of the United States. The use of a dignified ceremonial, according to the department officials, helps greatly to impress on the new citizen the responsibilities he has incurred. Secretary Lane's annual report describes the ceremony.

Must Earn the Honor.

The Indians who are to be honored with the confidence of the government are selected by a "competency commission," composed of three men, intimate through long experience with Indian standards, who go through a reservation from house to house, reporting on the progress of each family—the condition of the house and farm, the way the children are cared for and their general economic status. On the approval by the department of the recommendations of these commissions the Indians selected are invited to a public meeting to receive in due form the patents in fee to their lands.

There a representative of the department of the interior tells them very solemnly that the president has heard that they are ready to leave the control of the Indian bureau and become free American citizens. "It is his decision that this shall be done," the official says, "and that those so honored by the people of the United States shall have the meaning of this new and great privilege pointed out by symbol and by word, so that no man shall not know its meaning." He then calls the English name of the first man on his list—James Robinson, it may be, whose Indian name, perhaps, was Rain-in-the-Face.

"James Robinson," the official says, "what was your Indian name?"

When the Indian replies the official hands him a bow and arrow, telling him to shoot the arrow. The Indian complies.

Puts Indian Life Behind.

As the arrow strikes the ground the representative of the government says: "Rain-in-the-Face, you have shot your last arrow. That means that you are no longer to live the life of an Indian. You are from this day forward to live the life of the white man. But you may keep that arrow. It will be to you a symbol of your noble race and of the pride you feel that you come from the first of all Americans.

"James Robinson, take in your hand this plow." As the Indian takes hold of the handles of the plow the official continues: "This act means that you have chosen to live the life of the white man, and the white man lives by work. From the earth we all must get our living, and the earth will not yield unless man pours upon it the sweat of his brow. Only by work do we gain a right to the land or to the enjoyment of life."

The department representative then hands him a purse, which he tells the prospective citizen symbolizes the need for saving, and finally an American flag, which he is told to take and hold while repeating this pledge:

"Forasmuch as the president has said that I am worthy to be a citizen of the United States, I now promise to this flag that I will give my hands, my head and my heart to the doing of all that will make me a true American citizen."

The official then pins on the man's breast an eagle, the emblem of citizenship, and the audience rises and shouts, "James Robinson is an American citizen!"

For women a similar ceremony is held, except that the bow and arrow are omitted and a workbag and purse are substituted for the plow. The general effect of the ceremonial has proved most happy, and the honor of participating in it has served as a stimulus to many of the Indians to work harder for the privileges of citizenship.

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Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, you will know them by their olive color.

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If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.— WHEAT — May, $1.82⅞; July, $1.49⅜.

CORN—May, 98⅜c; July, 97¼c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 14,000; steers, $8.00 @ $11.50; cows, $5.10 @ $5.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; market 5c lower; top, $11.05; bulk, $10.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; market 15c lower to weak.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 22,000; market 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 77,000; market big 5c lower; top, $11.15.

SHEEP—Receipts 23,000; market 15c lower to weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Jan. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,800; market 5c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; market big 5c lower; top, $11.05.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,500; market 15c lower to weak.

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Butter fat, per lb	35c
Eggs, per doz	32c
Hides, per lb	15c
Springs, per lb	14c
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Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	11c

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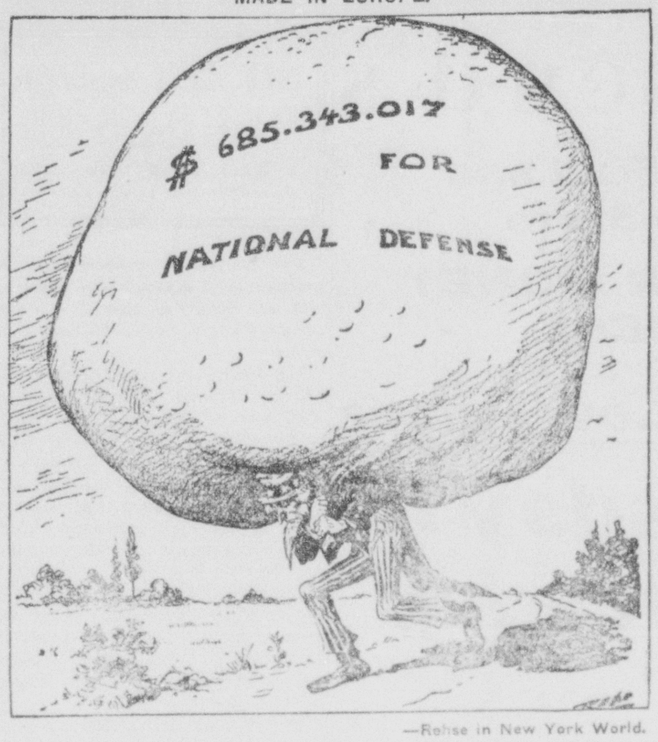

—Reprise in New York World.

Miss Irene Aley returned yesterday from Burlington Junction, where she has been visiting for the past week.

Miss Anna Freytag of Graham was visiting in Maryville yesterday with friends.

Miss Mamie Johnson and Miss Dollie Todd went to Fillmore yesterday to visit over Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sherlock and son, Paul, of St. Joseph, are in Maryville, visiting relatives.

War Prices

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Janesville Gang 12-inch	$55.00
Janesville Sulky 16-inch	$40.00
Janesville Walkers 14-inch	$15.00
Janesville Walkers 16-inch	$17.00
Janesville Disc 16x16	$32.50
Janesville Planters, high wheel	$42.50
New Century Cultivator, 4-shovel	$28.00
New Century Cultivator 6-shovel	$30.00

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Thursday, January 25, 1917

beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

9 HEAD HORSES—One brown mare 6 years old; 1 horse 7 years old, broke to all harness; 1 horse 9 years old, broke to all harness; 1 4-year-old mare, weight 1350 pounds; 1 coming 3-year-old gelding, weight 1400 lbs; 1 coming 3-year-old mare, weight 1400 lbs; 2 coming 2-year-yld draft fillies; 1 coming 2-year-old coach filley.

67 HEAD CATTLE—67 high grade and pure bred Short Horn crttle—1 registered yearling Shorthorn bull; 9 coming 2-year old heifers; 29 cows; 18 coming yearling steers; 13 coming heifers.

14 HEAD HOGS—One big type yearling Poland-China boar; 13 extra good brood sows, 2 years old, will farrow in March.

CORN AND HAY.

IMPLEMENTS—Two wagons, carriage, buggy, mower, rake, lister, drill harrow, dsic harrow, 1 cable stacker, 1 breaking plow, lawn mower, one 1-horse wheat drill, harness, feed grinder, 2 cultivators, garden plow, hay frame, etc.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND KITCHEN FURNITURE—Heating stove, cook stove, chairs, tables, dresser, 2 sewing machines, washing mashine, bedsteads and other articles not mentioned.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under cash, sums over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. Terms of sale must be complied with before property is removed from the premises. LUNCH on ground will be served by ladies of the Baptist church.

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DEATH TOLL INCREASES.

Search of Wreckage Reveals Enormous Death List In Explosion.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Jan. 22.—Search continues in the wreckage of the blown-up ammunition plant in East London and increases the death list. It is estimated by the Mail and final death roll will be three hundred to four hundred.

Mrs. J. C. Lanning and son, Leslie, of Hopkins were in Maryville Saturday on business.

Returns From Boonville.

Sheriff John F. Dowden returned yesterday from Boonville, where he took Theodore Murray, twelve- year-old, to the reform school for an eight-year sentence.

Miss Kirkpatrick Here.

Miss Ethel Kirkpatrick of Richmond, Mo., was in Maryville yesterday visiting her brother, Z. R. Kirkpatrick, who has been ill at St. Francis hospital for several weeks. Mr. Kirkpatrick is very much improved and will be able to go to his home in Richmond this week.

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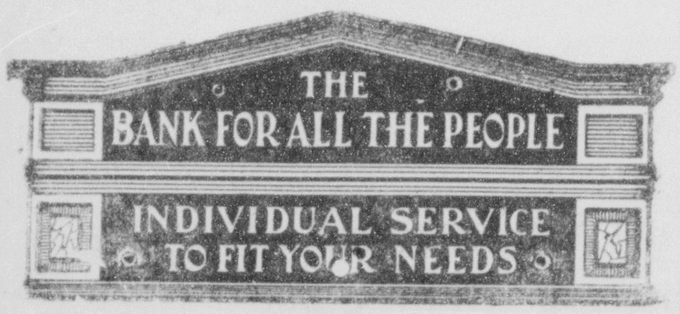

Healthy Conditions

I would rather be a little fellow climbing up, than a big fellow slipping back.

The fellow who is slipping has nothing to look forward to, whereas, the little fellow who is climbing higher up, sees daily encouragement and progress.

So don't be discouraged, if you are just making the start.

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SEVENTEEN YEAR LOCUSTS DUE HERE NEXT SUMMER.

The seventeen year locust is due to appear again next summer, according to C. H. Hadley, Jr., an entomologist of the Pennsylvania State college. He called attention to the fact that the last outbreak of this insect occurred in 1900.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

Miscellaneous.

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., south side square. Hanamo 276.

IF you want to sell LIST NOW. If you want to buy, BUY NOW and get first choice. Land is changing hands. H. M. Lincoln, Pickering. 20-23

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

Lost.

LOST—Snap pocket book containing $5. bill, two or three silver dollars. Notify Democrat-Forum. 20-22

LOST—charm from watch fob, initials R. R. Leave here or return to Ralph Riley. Reward. 22-24

LOST—Brown fur automobile glove northwest Maryville. Return this office. 22-24*

For Sale.

NATIVE LUMBER FOR SALE—About 20,000 feet or more on the James Robinson farm on Platte river about half way between Conception Junction and Ravenwood. Am prepared to fill bills of most any kind, either for barn frames, house frames, blacksmith's wagon tongues, axles, etc. Call at mill or phone J. E. Wyatt, Arkoe. 22tf.

FOR SALE—200 loads of dirt. Lincoln Bent, Hanamo phone 238. 19-22

FOR SALE—New Overland roadster, model 75B. Call Democrat-Forum office. 19-22

FOR SALE—A few S. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels. Phone 21-20. Mrs. P. Damgar, Maryville, Mo. 20-23*

FOR SALE—30 head black high-grade spring heifers. Call Farmers 232, Hanamo 186. 20-23*

FOR SALE—Two desirable residence lots, close in, 1½ blocks east of square on East Third street. Elmer Fraser. 5tf

Joe Weaver farm for sale, across road from school and church, 160 acres. If not sold February 1, it is for rent. See H. M. Lincoln, Pickering. 20-23

FOR SALE—The Johnson residence, eight rooms, lights, bath, water, two lots, fruit and barn. Second place west Central school, Maryville, Mo., Address Walter E. Johnson, Pickering, Mo., 13tf.

Wanted.

WANTED—Work on farm by month or year. Married man and good worker. Call C. H. Hummon, 1215 E. Fourth St. 22-24*

WANTED—Second-hand cook stove Call Hanamo phone 6719. 22-24*

WANTED—To buy young beef type calf. Call Farmers 412. 20-23*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-t

WANTED—To buy, borrow or steal a typewriter desk. Call Hanamo 60 or Farmers 14. 19-22*

For Rent.

FOR RENT — Seven-room house Close in. J. A. Ford. 20tf

FOR RENT—Room for light housekeeping, close in. 202 East First street. 20-23*

FOR RENT—6-room house adjoining Normal, ready any time. J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 4-t

FOR RENT—Rooms, may have use of piano. Inquire 109 South Buchanan street. 19-22

FOR RENT—Large modern rooms furnished for or without light housekeeping, close to high school. Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, Han. 3625. 3tf

Attended K. C. Initiation.

C. W. Yehle, J. E. Costello and Anselm Schumacher attended the Knights of Columbus initiation in St. Joseph yesterday.